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the pornography issue is still raging in Joplin. Ben · Alexander and members of the city Council offer their opinions.



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Members of the 'We can Make You Laugh' comedy team entertain at Missouri Southern.



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John Waite and Cheap Trick' will appear in concert Nov. 20 in Joplin's Memorial Hall.



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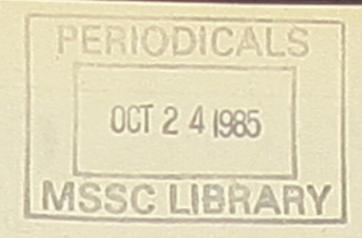
A student in a beginning sculpture class works on a project.



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Missouri Southern State College, Joplin, MO 64801-1595 Thursday, Oct. 24, 1985, Vol. 46, No. 8 dition to Matthews Hall will take

Dream project leaves thanks to trucking firm

By Martin Octting Editor-in-chief

After nearly two weeks of hard work and intense coordination, Paco Gomez's dream project left for Mexico City Monday.

Gomez, a native of Mexico City, said he was stunned" by the devastation left by an earthquake there two weeks ago. After making a trip there to insure his family was safe, he returned to Joplin determined to do something for the thousands of homeless residents of the city.

Paco met with Missouri Southern officials, church groups, and public school teachers to solicit support for a drive to gather clothing and goods to be sent to Mexico City.

At Southern, members of the international and social science clubs spearheaded a campaign to collect clothing. A collection center was established at the Baptist Student Union, and persons were on hand at all times to answer telephone calls and collect donations from area residents.

After the campaign began two weeks ago, the group at Southern recieved media attention locally, and donations began arriving almost immediately.

Leta Wilson, one of the principle coordinators of the project, said she hopes the goods will arrive safely in Mexico City and be distributed to those who need it most.

"We were successful in doing what we set out to do," she said. "But we don't know about down there. We don't have any assurance, but from the best informtion we have it will reach Mexico City and be distributed."

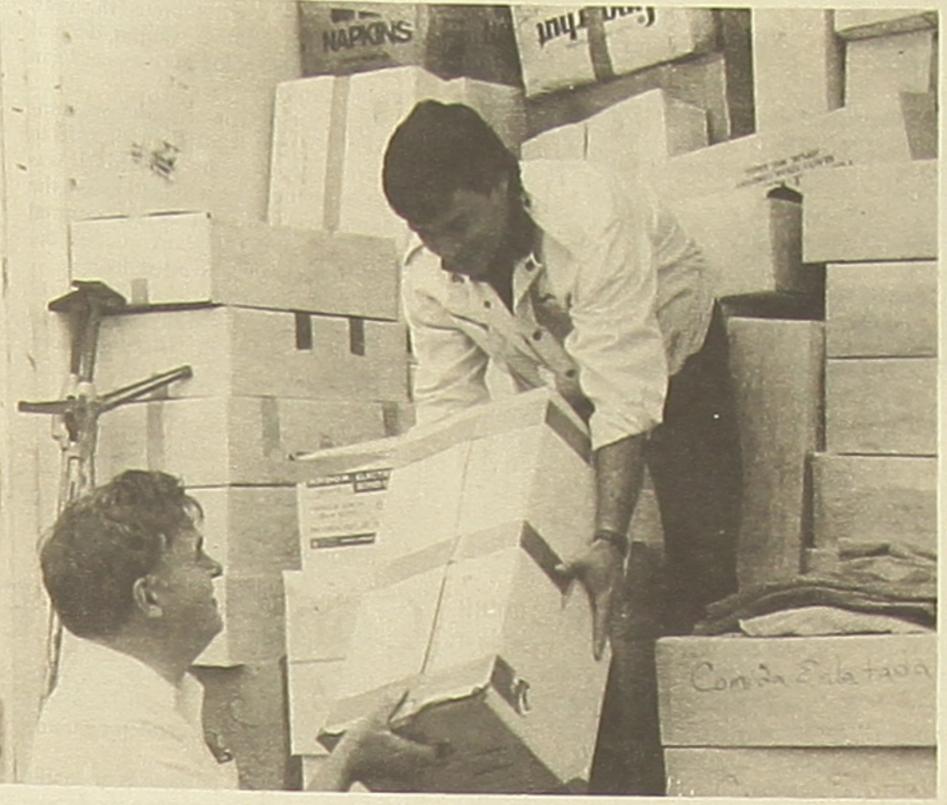
Though she said the project involved much hard work and many hours, Wilson said it was worth it.

The need was worth the effort and the risk that it might not get to them," she said. "We were very pleased with the response from the community.

Wilson said many residents donated new clothing, or clothing that was far from being worn

"They seemed to be touched with the need."

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Loading the goods

Joe Vermillion, a counselor at Missouri Southern, helps Paco Gomez load the MCI truck bound for Laredo, Texas, with goods collected at the College. (Chart photo by Martin Oetting)

Gomez writes an open letter

this letter be published.]

picking the best fruits of life, those that grow at the side of the woods where there is light, abundance, happiness, and laughter. Forgetting of pain, suffering, thorns, and tears.

these sides can understand the pain of others who in one way or another gave me support in as if it were our own regardless of religion, col-

"In a world full of constant change and new technology, it is comforting to know that we can count on people like Dr. Julio Leon (President of MSSC) who gave his support to the "Mexico

[Editor's Note: Because he wasn't able to thank Fund" project, Dr. Bert Patrick and Mark all those persons who participated in the Mex- Rountree (Professors at PSU) who were inican Relief effort, Paco Gomez requested that strumental in collecting aid from Pittsburg, Kansas, Mr. Michael Baines for his support and the use of the Baptist Student Union, Joe Ver-"When I was young I always dreamed about million, Leta Wilson, and the members of the International Club, and Social Science who combined their duties at the school, collection of goods, and packing, and other obligations. that there is also another side of the woods full; Mr. and Mrs. Kloepple who generously provided the transportation to Larado, Texas, at no "Only those of us who have known both of charge, the various churches and individuals my ideal to give help to my people in this time of tragedy.

"To all of you; my utmost gratitude."

Francisco (Paco) Gomez

College to open Hall bids

Construction bidding for the adplace at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

According to Dr. Paul R. Shipman, vice president for business affairs, the prospective construction bidders should not be locally limited.

"We are hoping to have five or six general contractors to bid," he said. "We should have some local general contractors, as well as some from out of town."

While Shipman could not speculate on who the probable bidders might be for the project, previous contractors of Missouri Southern projects should be present.

"We hope that some past contractors will bid," he said. "And we are expecting they will."

The addition to Matthews Hall should take 15 months to complete from the time of the signing of a contract on Nov. 1, according to Shipman.

The construction project will partially renovate a portion of the existing building.

"All we will be doing is creating a few new offices and turning a portion of a stairwell that is rarely used into a storage area," Shipman said. "There will be little modification of the existing structure, and the remodeling itself will be minor."

The major work will be the Phase II addition, which Shipman estimates will be approximately the size of Hearnes Hall. The addition will connect to the existing building's eastern face through "knock-out" walls that will create a wide hallway directly connecting the two buildings in a logical manner, with stairs and restrooms readily accessible. Shipman attributes these important features to long-range planning stemming from the original building's construction, which planned for an eventual addition.

The addition, which will dominate its parent building in size, will stand three stories high, and rest at the same level. It will feature an auditorium with the capacity to seat 250 people, as well as new classrooms and offices for facilty and administrators.

His blindness wasn't a handicap Rob Reeser, 1981 Missouri Southern graduate, dies

By JoAnn Hollis Features Editor

Missouri Southern in 1981 with a Students In Free Enterprise. 4.0 grade point average, died Oct.

College.

"He never asked for any favors," said John Tiede, dean of the school of business administration. "He was definitely above average."

Reeser attended the Radio Television Broadcasting Institute in St. Louis. After receiving his FCC broadcasting license, he became an announcer for KFMO in Flat River, blindness.

Delta Epsilon, a member of the tion." Student Senate, chairman of the

student grievance committee, parliamentarian of Chi Epsilon Phi, editor of the organization col-Rob Reeser, who graduated from umn for The Chart, and editor of

Reeser also found time to be a 14 in Augusta, Maine, at the age of husband and a father. His wife, Julie, had been blind since birth. In Although he was blind, he was 1980 she gave birth at Freeman not handicapped, according to Hospital to a boy, Phillip. Although those who remember him at the neither parent could see their son, both were excited at the chance to take care of someone who was completely dependent on them.

Phillip, now 5, and Julie currently live in Maine, where they moved Before coming to Southern, after Rob attended the Oklahoma City Law School.

While attending Southern, Reeser made many friends and acquaintances through his acivities.

Richard Massa, head of the com-Mo. He worked at the station until munications department, knew the his diabetic condition caused Reesers from their work on The had a positive outlook on life. Chart staff.

Reeser received a bachelor of "In journalism we simply do not science degree in business ad- make special consideration for inministration from Southern. He dividuals," said Massa. "And Rob was vice president of Omicron did not ask for special considera-

Terry Marion, associate professor

of business administration, also knew Reeser.

"He was an excellent student." Marion said. "I was very impressed with his ability to understand concepts which I thought you would have to visualize to understand."

According to Marion, Reeser was not that interested in working with other blind people because he wanted to continue developing his own career.

"He was always trying to be a barrier breaker," said Marion.

"He felt like he paved the way for other blind studnets to have access to the school," said Jean Campbell, currently a senior at Southern.

Another person who had contact with Reeser on campus was College nurse Irma Hartley, who gave him his medications. Hartley feels that Reeser was a special person who

"He was very optimistic," she said. Hartley pointed out that Reeser even played on his church's softball team.

"He was very enthusiastic about it," she said.

New promotion policy would reward good teaching

Discussion of a proposed faculty promotion policy dominated Monday's Faculty Senate meeting. The new policy, drafted by the faculty welfare committee, administration, and the promotion committee, includes several revisions of the current policy in effect.

'I visited with the welfare committee last year," said College President Julio Leon. "We've always had a problem with regards to the procedures in the existing plan. We had a feeling we needed to look at a few

Major changes over the existing policy include the period of time a faculty member must remain at one level before being eligible for promotion, and eliminating the requirement of a doctoral degree to reach full professor level.

allow a person without a doctorate associate professor, and seven years said. "The main role of Missouri new policy, a faculty member to become a full professor," Leon minimum before moving up to full Southern is teaching. We're not a would prepare a folder and present

said. "Most colleges and universities professor." pay lip service to teaching as a mission of the college. Their policies recommended eliminating student publishing. The basic mission of Missouri Southern is teaching, and the policy. good teaching is what we should reward, doctorate or not.

Rob Reeser takes part in 1981 graduation exercises

could be promoted in ranks every three years," Leon said. "My impression of that was that con- said. ceivably a person could be prohigher ranks, more should be faculty members. demanded. We're looking at three

The welfare committee had

are oriented toward research and services personnel from faculty ranks and keeping library staff in "Since it is the general feeling

that both groups are very impor-"In the current policy, a person tant to the teaching process, the current proposal keeps both areas as part of the teaching ranks," Leon

Under the current policy, no moted from instructor up to full faculty member can by promoted professor with a minimum of three to full professor without a doctoral years at each rank. I feel as a facul- degree. The proposed policy has ty member moves toward the been met with opposition by some

years minimum as instructor before every faculty member, regardless of said. moving up to assistant professor, degree, an opportunity for the top five years minimum as assistant rank if they have demonstrated "As it stood, the policy did not professor before moving up to outstanding performance," Leon

research institution, though we en- it to the promotion committee courage this. If we truly believe we want to be a teaching institution, then we should reward faculty members for excellence in teaching."

Leon said conceivably those faculty members with doctoral degrees would move up in ranks faster than those without.

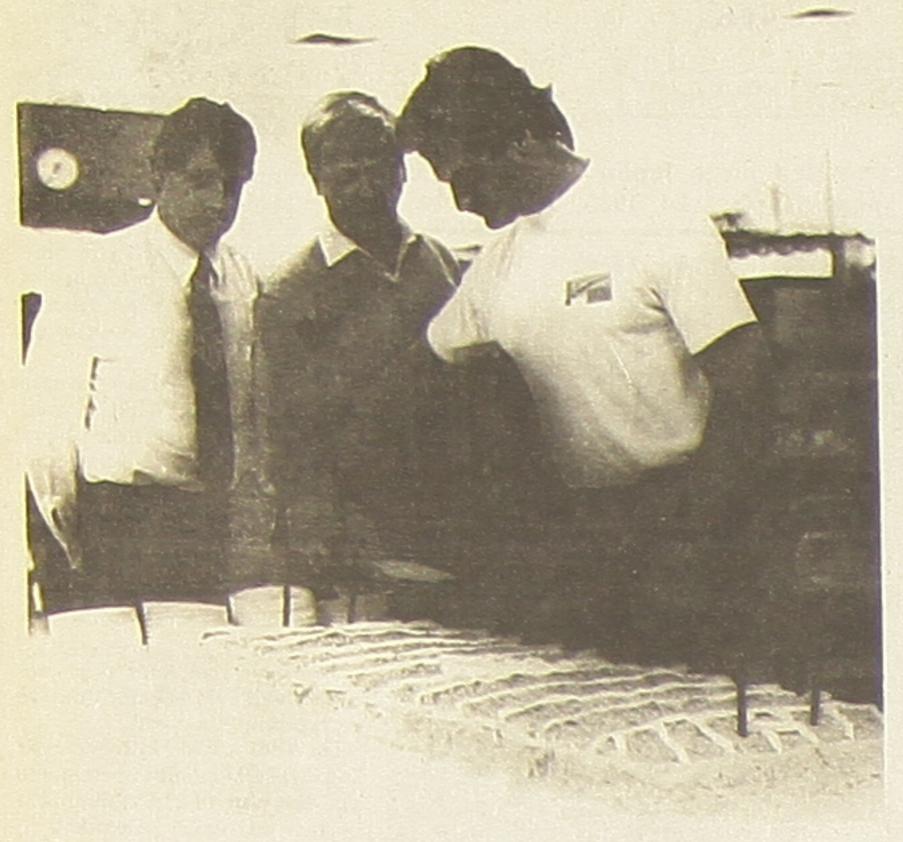
"While the doctorate is not evidence of or does not guarantee the person is a good teacher, you have to realize that a doctoral degree provides the individual with more in-depth study in a given people at our institution." discipline. Those with doctorates will probably move up faster, pro-"The new proposal would give vided they are good teachers," Leon

> Performance is based on several factors, including student and administrative evaluations. Under the

made up of other faculty members. The promotion committee would then send the folder to the vice president for academic affairs and finally to the president.

"It's important to realize that just because a faculty member meets all requirements in the policy doesn't necessarily mean they will be promoted," Leon said. "This just means they are eligible for consideration. It's in the best interest of the College that they [the committee] do promote the outstanding

The Faculty Senate will deliberate and make recommendations on the policy, send it to the president, and then on to the Board of Regents. The policy is expected to come before the Board in the November meeting.



Victory celebration

Celebrating Missouri Southern's 100th football victory, a reception was held last week in the Billingsly Student Center. Senior tailback Mark Perry (right), head coach Jim Frazier (center), and food service manager Ed Butkievich took part. The Lions defeated Emporia State 34-26 during Homecoming for the historical victory. (Chart photo by Rick Evans)

Changes made in dental program

Maupin says one-year program may not be offered next year

Changes have recently been made with the one-year dental assisting program previously offered through the school of technology at Missouri Southern. The one-year course was not offered this year, and according to James Maupin, dean of the school of technology, it may not be in the near future.

"We have a pretty active advisory committee that meets regularly with staffs in the various departments," he said. "It was their feeling that we could better serve the community in general if we concentrated our requirements on short courses designed to upgrade student skills."

The advisery committee is made up of dentists in the area and the president of the Southwest Missouri Dental Society. Dental hygienists and assistants are also on the committee.

As a result, Maupin said the course was not offered this year, and probably won't be next year. The problem, Maupin said, was that local dentists had immediate openings and needed assistants to fill them, but the students at Southern were

locked in the one-year program. Now, with short-term programs, the inexperienced persons can take a shorter course and be eligible for employment.

"They [the dentists in the area] were very concerned that something be done so they can hire a person with very little experience and give them quick training," Maupin said. "We felt we could better serve them by eliminating the assistantship program and making a small expansion in the dental hygiene program. I notified the state we would be eliminating the one-year assistantship program."

Maupin said now several courses and workshops were being developed by Nancy Karst, instructor in the dental program. Karst was formerly the instructor of the dental assistant program. The twoyear dental hygiene program has been expanded to include 18 persons instead of

"At this point I'm planning to put out a survey to see what the responses will be [to the courses]," Karst said. "The advisory board seemed to think this was the way

to go. I think anything's worth Karst said students who pro went through the assistantship p

felt better about taking a job. "I think for someone untrained no prior knowledge, they need through some type of program, "Based on the past students, they feel like they had knowledge of w going on when they went into the

Without that feeling, it's not as The first workshop, focusing or radiology, is scheduled for new Karst and Maupin said response area has been very good.

Another stumbling block original one-year program was terest was low.

"The last two or three years, gram was not at capacity," Maup "Many of the students would semester, and then drop out an work. These shorter term progra better serve the community. We it more as continuing education than a formal program."

Continuing Education offers aquaci

Aquacise, a program of exercise done in the water, will be offered by the continuing education department beginning Thursday, Nov. 7.

The class, whose purpose is to enable all students, regardless of age or body type to enjoy exercise, is designed to improve the cardiovascular system, coordination, calling 625-9384. Payment must be re-

flexibility, and body firmness.

Classes will meet from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursdays and from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays at the Missouri Southern pool. The class will be taught by the Southern aquatic staff. Cost for the course is \$25.

Students may pre-enroll in the class by

ceived within one week after cal pre-enrollment or enrollment canceled. Following receipt of d the student will be mailed an app which is to be brought to the fi meeting.

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All out-of-state students who plan to graduate in December 1985 or May 1986, who have not taken U.S. GOVT. OR STATE & LOCAL GOVT. in a Missouri college should see Dr. Ray Malzahn in H-318 on or before Oct. 29 to sign up for the test.

LECTURE: 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 31

TEST: 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 7

Lecture and Test held in L-123

Engineers display goods

Members of Missouri Southern's chapter of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers participated in the fourth Biannual Ozark Industrial Exposition held Oct. 17. The exposition was held at the Joplin Holidome and was sponsored by Ozark Chapter 139 of SME.

According to John Scorse, instructor of machine technology and SME chairman elect, "Expo 85 is an educational exhibit of goods and services from the manufacturing community. More than 50 manufacturers will be displaying tools, equipment, and sup-

Southern was represented by its student chapter, which gave demonstrations of its technical knowledge and skills. These included computer aided drafting, injection molding, robotics, and computer numerical control which were demonstrated through the use of college instructional equipment.

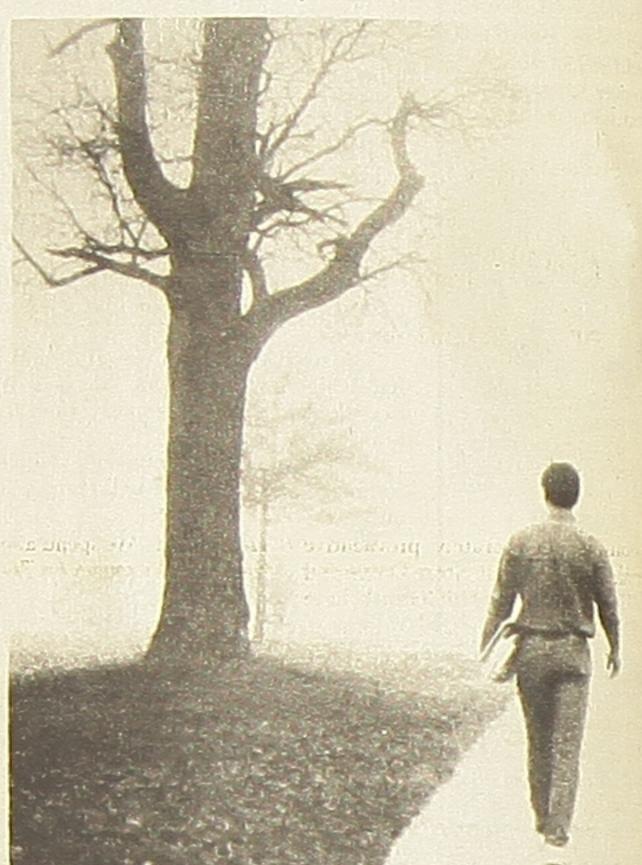
Talk focuses on 'gifted'

Teaching gifted students was the main focus of a lecture presented Tuesday night at Missouri Southern. DeDe Smith, president of the Gifted Association

of Missouri. spoke on "Educating the Ablest." The program was open to parents and teachers of gifted students as well as to Southern teachers and students.

Smith, a resident of Springfield, has been actively involved in the development of several programs for gifted students. Among these programs are the Missouri Scholars Academy, WINGS, a program for the gifted in the Springfield school system. and Summerscape at Drury College.

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Fog A student is obscured by an early morning fog Monda shrouded the campus. (Chart photo by Rick Evans

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v 1987 recommendations for operating odgets of the state's colleges and

In a meeting held in Jefferson City last rek the fiscal affairs committee cirplated staff recommendations which inhoded figures for all but one state-funded

-Basically, the fiscal affairs committee ed not take any action since one univerar did not supply enough data," said Dr. alio Leon. Missouri Southern president, But from preliminary data I've seen, we are the highest increase in recommendaons when compared to actual appropria-

ions received last year." In the Board's preliminary recommenbitions, Southern's total operating budget would be \$10,033,349. This is broken own to \$9,892,597 in base support, 80,752 for opening Matthews Hall, and \$0.000 for critical maintenance and

orase when compared to the final appropriations given to Southern for FY

"Next year is going to be a lean year," Leon said. That 12.95 per cent figure is the Board's recommendations, so hoothetically if we were appropriated 91 per cent of the Board's recommendation would reflect only a 2.8 per cent increase over last year's appropriation." Leon said the state legislature might recommend a higher percentage of the Reard's recommendation. He said a 4 per

Missouri's Coordinating Board for cent increase over last year's approprialigher Education will soon release final tion would be needed to keep up with inflation.

"As I said, it will be a lean year. I guess the only consolation would be that we have received the highest recommended increase in the state in the Board's recommendations," Leon said.

Shaila Aery, commissioner for higher education, has told at least one college president that Gov. Ashcroft plans to recommend a 5 to 6 per cent increase for FY 1987 toward higher education. Though it is not official, Leon said he felt the recommendation would be in line. with what the commissioner had told the presidents of each state-funded college individually during meetings held earlier this month.

"It's also my opinion that these recommendations are in line with what the commissioner and the legislature will do," Leon said. "A 5 or 6 per cent increase for higher education would be good, based on the outlook for the economy in the next That figure reflects a 12.95 per cent in- few years. It would indicate the legislature is not as pessimistic as they were six months ago, when we were looking at no increases at all or even possibly a decrease in funding."

After the Board releases final recomideading. Normally, the state legislature mendations for operating budgets, they the recommends about 90 or 91 per cent are sent to the legislature for discussion. The legislature makes its recommendations, which then are sent to the governor for final review. The governor then makes the final recommendations for appropriations to the colleges and universities.

The Board will meet Nov. 8 in Columbia to hear final budget reports.



Remodels for radio station

A College maintenance worker prepares to trim a piece of lumber being used in the remodeling of the guest house. Southern's new radio station will make a home there and be in operation sometime next year. (Chart photo by Martin Oetting)

National Park Service scheduling interviews Nov. 5

to fill seasonal positions as park techni-

cians, park aides, and biological aides.

Any biology, history, or business manage-

ment major interested may sign up in the placement office, Room 207 in the Bill-

ingsly Student Center or call 625-9343. Interviews are open to freshmen,

sophomores, juniors, or seniors.

Interviews by the National Park Service will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 5 at Missouri Southern.

The service will be seeking applicants

On Tuesday, Nov. 12, the National Park Service will again be on campus to hold a seminar for those interested in the positions and also to aid in the filling out of applications.

The seminar will be held at 7 p.m. in BSC, Room 313. No appointment is necessary

Student groups pressure newspapers

Higher advertising rates, controversial quotes anger students

(CPS)-Student groups at two schools me moving to impose tighter restrictions on their campus newspapers, largely in response to normal operating procedures. While student papers in the past have brehed into trouble on many campuses or publishing deliberately provacative paterial, newspapers at Notre Dame and North Carolina-Chapel Hill recently have stracted controversy while following nornal operating procedures.

Student politicians at Notre Dame got agy when The Observer raised its identising rates, and some UNC students were enraged when the Daily Tar Heel printed, amid other quotes, Friedrich Netzsche's assertion that "God is dead." At UNC, dissidents sought to strip the paper of student fee funding.

"It gave me somewhat of a jolt that someone would cut off the student voice," realls Arne Rickert, The Tar Heel's co-editor.

Rickert says the student religious group's attempt to end mandatory student lefunding for the paper is "ironic. They

them."

Notre Dame student president Bill Healy says he only wants The Observer to open its books to the public.

"We think the books should be open," Healy says. "We spend about \$100,000 of the student's money on The Observer. It's only fair."

The Observer irritated student govern- tially are toothless. ment leaders when it raised its ad rates earlier this fall. The student government . sy at North Carolina has faded away. spends about \$10,000 a year in advertising in the paper. Critics wondered if the controversies. increase was necessary.

But editor Sarah Hamilton refused to open the paper's books to the politicians, reasoning it could set a precedent for later

exerting editorial control over the paper. "I don't want them to determine ty of Minnesota. editorial policy," Hamilton says.

She adds "we are already accountable to the students through the administra-

Nevertheless, about 80 per cent of the students surveyed by the student govern-

would cut off the paper that has covered ment think the paper should open its books.

Healy also found that, of nearby papers with ad rates comparable to The Observer's, six of seven did not get any student funds.

The campus judicial council, however, last week ruled the student senate resolutions to see The Observer's records essen-

Rickert, moreover, says the controver-

Some observers dismiss the

"I don't think student governments want to control the daily operations of the papers," says Tom Rolnicki of the Asociation Collegiate Press a group of college newspaper advisers basd at the Universi-

Rolnicki says the conflicts between campus papers and student groups are "not going to change unless student governments become more knowledgable or student papers become independent."

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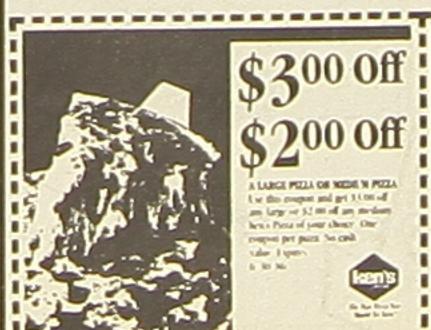
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It would seem logical that in an all-Missouri World Series half the population would root for the St. Louis Cardinals, the other half for the Kansas City Royals. In Joplin and at Missouri Southern, a person would assume that Royals fans would outnumber Cardinals fans. After all, Joplin is about 125 miles closer to Kansas City than St. Louis, and Joplin more reflects a Kansas City type of lifestyle.

But, according to a survey taken by The Chart staff, there are considerably more Cardinals fans than Royals fans at Missouri Southern. Why? There are a couple of possible answers to the question.

First of all, the Cardinals have been around since the 1890's, while the Royals were born in 1969. St. Louis won its first World Series in 1926, while the Royals didn't even make it to the Fall Classic until 1980. The Cardinals appeared in the World Series three times in the 1960's, while the Royals had yet to be conceived. So, it's understandable that many people became St. Louis fans when there were no Royals.

Second, there are some direct St. Louis ties to Joplin. Darrell Porter, the Cardinals catcher, and Tito Landrum, who replaced the injured Vince Coleman in left field, were both born in Joplin. In fact, the ABC announcing team on at least two occasions has mentioned that Landrum was born in Joplin, Mo. The Associated Press has also referred to Landrum's birthplace.

Whitey Herzog, the St. Louis manager, spent most of the 1951 season in Joplin as a member of the city's minor league team. Herzog, then 19, played in 113 games for the Joplin Miners and batted .285.

Many of the state's neutral people, those undeclared Cardinals or Royals fans, have decided to become Kansas City partisans. "I feel sorry for the Royals," said one Missouri Southern student after the Cardinals took a two-game lead. "The Royals have never won the World Series, and the Cardinals won it three years ago, so I'm rooting for Kansas City," said another student.

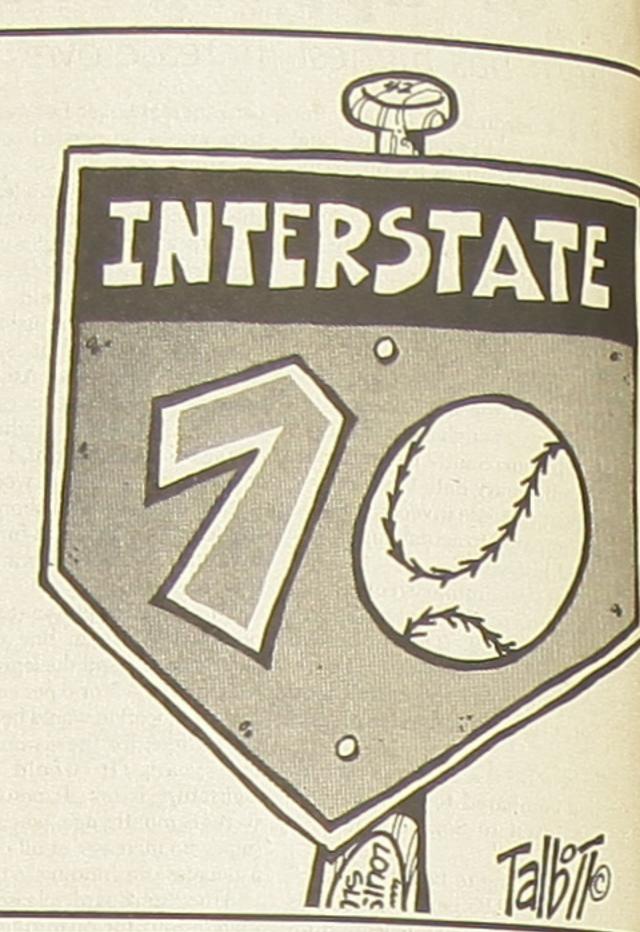
It really doesn't matter, though, which team wins the World Series. The state of Missouri is the real winner. The state is receiving much national attention from the "I-70 Series," and has been featured in numerous newspaper and magazine articles and TV programs. Monday's train journey across the state by the "World Series Special," witnessed by thousands of fans, brought additional coverage. The Series is also pumping much needed revenue into the state's economy.

That is why a four-game sweep by the Cardinals would not be beneficial to the state. A seven-game Series, no matter which team wins, would produce the greatest results for Missouri.

editorials are supposed to be the general opinion of The Chart staff. As expected, we're also divided as to our partiality. Here's the breakdown. Editor-in-chief: Cardinals; managing editor: Royals; associate editor: Cardinals; associate editor: Royals; business manager: Cardinals; director of photography: "I don't care"; campus editor: Royals; features editor: Cardinals; arts editor: Royals; sports editor: "I'm for Missouri"; and adviser: Royals. "

Proposed 1500 Highway Sign Replacement

(SUBMITTED OCT. 85')



Editor's Column:

High technology demands trade-off

By Bob Vice Associate Editor

TV's, CRT's, VDT's, VCR's, PC's.

Wake to the electric buzz of the AM/FM clock-radio telephone, and rarely repose without suffering the sounds of automobiles, air conditioners, or heaters. Considering the prevalence

of technology in society today, is it any wonder we increasingly search for "humanness" in our daily communication?

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"Hello, this is Sandy the Computer, and I work for ——, and I would like to tell you the advantages of vinyl siding..." Double grrrr.

This dissonance, our annoyance, is created when technology invades our lives without a corresponding compensatory quality of "humanness."

John Naisbitt (Megatrends) calls it "high tech backlash."

It sounds as if this is the beginning of a condemnation of technology, yet it is exactly the opposite. Because for high technology to exist and survive

in our society, there must be a trade-off. There must be the corresponding humanness—the warm voice at the end of the line.

Telephone answering machines and computer advertising methods are then doomed to fail from the beginning. People just don't like to talk to machines—people like to talk to people.

The fact that technology exists and survives because of this trade-off—or "high touch" as Naisbitt terms it—demonstrates the importance of, and our need for, human communication.

For inasmuch as technology has helped us to

eliminate obstacles—space and time example—it by itself has never solved our blems. Only we can do that.

Atomic bombs, for example, which conconsidered the very height of technology, us the opportunity to completely ravage and in less than an hour while we sit at how watch. But there is no end to war—the prestill exists.

But atomic bombs have done something.

They have made us realize our human pot for destruction.

Thus amid this onslaught of technology is ing a new awareness—human awareness. It is dent everywhere—hospice programs, motivation programs, our society's increase terests in religions and liberal and fine at

So instead of the impersonal, mechanized prophesized by, say, Huxley's Brave New Witechnology has only helped to make us awa our own, human existence.

In Perspective:

Symptoms of student crisis spread

By Jean Campbell Editor, Crossroads

There is an epidemic of MSSC (Mid-Semester Studies Crisis) on campus. To drop or not to drop, that is the question. In the last two weeks, I have discovered several undiagnosed cases of MSSC. Many students do not recognize

nosed cases of MSSC. Many students do not recognize the symptoms as well as some of us do who have

Onset of the mid-term problem is distingished by varied reactions in students. Depending upon the individual circumstances these responses may range from mild anxiety to full-fledged hysterics.

The following is a list of the most common symptoms that I have both experienced and noticed in others.

1. Feelings of isolation (I am the only one in this mess.)

2. Blank stares (Your close friends seem too preoccupied to speak.)

3. Frenzied activities (Didn't this class have a textbook?)

4. Note borrowing (This is for classes slept through or missed.)

5. Library attendence increases (Please note,

librarians do not make house calls.)

6. Late night cramming (This results in

Exposure to the mid-term situation does not mean that a student will automatically contract MSSC. Nor does a previous case guarantee a student will develop immunity. However (sin embargo, Spanish 20 I), a veteran student having been previously a victim of MSSC is in a position to an-

I overheard an interesting comment as I walked past a table in the Lions' Den. A young man who was dealing a hand of cards to his friends said, "I am never going to be ready for my mid-term exams." As I laughed to myself, I thought, "Well he doesn't prepare the same way I do." Now before

you begin to think that I am too critical d younger students, I hurry to admit that I was willing to do what they are doing when I wast

These are recommended emergency means.

1. Study with a friend or in a group.

2. Pace yourself, planning time for adequate

Keep class material organized and has
 Attend all classes (mentally as well physically and take your own notes.

5. Plan your projects and begin your reserved early. This will assure access to the materine needed.

At MSTV (Missouri Southern Television) being a program is videotaped the tape is stretched first fast forwarding and then rewinding It prevents problems of dragging tape and distripictures when the taping is done. In my educational experience I feel like I am being fast in warded. There is so much to learn in every signed, that when a course is finished, it seems like only scratched the surface.



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-An in-depth look

pornography issues still controversial

CDL group and spokesman expand efforts

In November 1984, with spokesman rangelist Ben Alexander, the Joplin dipter of the Citizens for Decency Through Law (CDL) became operational adlaunched an attack on pornography but continues today.

CDL is a national, non-profit, political, non-denominational organizathat began its crusade in 1957. Today, the organization has 100 chapters in the is, and continues to grow. The group, thich relies upon contributions and munteer workers, began a battle in lsper County that still rages today.

On June 3. Joplin's City Council passdan ordinance banning the promotion d pornographic materials. Retailers who "hard" or "soft" porn materials were shired that they would be subject to prodealing with "soft porn," or materials or phlications containing "an abundance of man, such as Penthouse or Playboy, the ordinance requires retailers make the naterial inaccessible to minors. This has resulted in such magazines not banned et-right to disappear from regular perstand shelves and instead be placed n stands behind the counters or otherwise out of reach.

CDL claims there is a need for its organization because pornography is a 4.6 billion industry.

Besides attacking pornography sales in loolin, CDL and Ben Alexander have then their fight to the county. This eliged scope of "hot spots" includes essage parlors, an adult cinema, an dil bookstore, and the rental of X-rated rideos sales.

The group takes its fight in earnest, fon all indications. At a public antipernography rally held Sept. 9, Alexander sand his true intent before approximatek 275 people gathered at College Heights Christian Church.

'Let me assure you that I will not rest and I see every single sex magazine out d lasper County," he stated.

Perhaps the greatest issue is defining amography and the limits of the law. On geral occasions, CDL has attempted to my crossfire from opponents by ablishing large statements of intent in be Joplin Globe. The most prominent of bee which appeared on June 28, attempted to present a comprehensive look athegroup's stance concerning defining prography and CDL's credo in the

Here, from the files of The Joplin Clobe, is an encapsulation of its salement:

Pornography and Obscenity

The CDL states that how it defines ascenity is not important, but how the spreme Court has defined it is. The Court defines obscenity as material that

has taken sexual matter and portrayed it in an offensive way that has no serious literary, artsitic, scientific, or political value. And whether the average person, applying community standards, would find the material offensive. Community standards are not the test for obsenity, however, but their voice is necessary as a basis for testing, according to the group. A judge or jury, the "trier of fact," must ultimately decide.

First Amendment

The Supreme Court holds that obscenity is not protected by the First Amendment, any more than libel or slander.

Censorship

CDL believes pornography regulation is not censorship. Censorship means "prior restraint and control by one, or few." Persons may print whatever they like, but it is up to the electorate to decide whether it is circulated.

Sex Opposition

CDL states it does not oppose sex, nor think that it is obscene. It believes that pornography is obscene because it debases sex and promotes sexual abuse.

The Bible

There is nothing obscene in Scripture, according to CDL. Evil is always presented as evil, and never becomes the narrative, as with pornography's presentation of evil as good.

Despite the efforts of CDL and Ben Alexander to clear the muddied waters of legal and moral actions surrounding the pornography battle in Joplin and Jasper County, there remains controversy. Pro and con arguments on all levels of the issue continue. CDL has claimed it will boycott retailers who continue to stock "soft porn" magazines, such as OUI, Gallery, and Cheri, and others still available to adults over 18. CDL and Alexander have labeled all such material as "absolutely filthy."

The work of the CDL has sparked controversy that exists on all levels of the city. Rumors of book banning and restriction of R-rated films being shown in Joplin theatres abound, although none have been documented. Employees of stores that sell magazines depicted as containing "soft" porn fear prosecution and loss of their jobs.

Store owners did not want to be quoted, but said they keep magazines under counters, away from minors, and carefully view all magazines shipped to them for any material that would break the ordinance.



Unlawful?

The Citizens for Decency Through Law, which initiated action bringing about the anti-pornography ordinance passed June 3rd, want adult bookstores like this one closed. (Chart photo by Martin C. Oetting)

Council members' opinions vary

Joplin City Council members have displayed varying personal opinions concerning the current pornography issue, an issue they have dealt with since they adopted the banning ordinance on June 3.

While it is difficult and perhaps impossible to draw lines or label certain members as liberal or conservative, Council members who could be reached offered differing opinions concerning rights and community standards and how they affect the ordinance.

"I think the Council has done all it can for the time being," said Mayor Kay Wells, who will leave office Nov. 8, along with Council members Kathy Wilson, Jack Coodey, Clyde Morrison, and Barbara Selsor. "It is in the city attorney's hands now, and he knows what to do. I know it's (pornography) a difficult, nationwide issue-it becomes a month-to-month issue. I'm sure we don't want pornography, but that depends on the people's definition of pornography."

Wells's main concern with the pornography issue is her and the other three Council member's vacancies after Nov. 8, and its affect upon the issue.

"The Council will be lame," she said "We only have two weeks. I think the four remaining Council members (Don Goetz, Tom Schroeder, Donald Clark, and Bill Scearce) are too liberal with the issue. Ben Alexander (director of the Joplin branch of Citizens for Decency Through Law) is going to need to look to a new Council for more help. It's a fine line. I see the need for freedom."

Wells said she personally felt that CDL would not suffer greatly under a changed Council, adding that she respected Alexander's goals, but that "If I were Ben Alexander, I would be concerned."

Schroeder believes that Joplin may have made a mistake in passing the June 3 ordinance.

"I believe that the city of Joplin does not have the resources to take a case of pornography to the Supreme Court," he said. "When the state law was put into a city ordinance, it put a strain on the city's resources. We put a strain on the city that the state should handle.

the state laws-our local sheriff department should handle the problem of pornography. We put a heavy burden on the for pornography, but this is a land of city.

According to Coodey, more progress is compromise." needed.

"I really believe it's something that has to be done," he said. "But it must be done carefully. I'm looking six months to a year down the road."

Clark believes that banning pornographic materials should be handled with regard to adults' rights as well as preserving a good atmosphere for children.

"I don't think you can tell an adult what he or she can do," he said. "Only when it affects the kids, that's bad.

"When I was 18 years old, I thought I knew it all, and I sure didn't. I thank whoever had safeguards then."

Scearce also believes prosecution efforts need to continue, but is cautious about final results.

"It obviously needs to continue," he said. "There is still one location selling hard pornographic material, and they are now involved in legal action.

"The enforcement level that's taking "My feelings are that we are following place is what I as a citizen would like to see," he added. "There is not going to be a satisfactory end for everyone. No one is rights, and the best we can achieve is a

Alexander claims 'partial success'

Evangelist says Joplin's position on pornography is too permissive

Evangelist Ben Alexander, spokesman a the Joplin charter of Citizens for Decency Through Law (CDL), feels the Hempt to rid Joplin and Jasper County d pomographic materials has been parsuccess, partial compromise.

The fight has been partially sucstil," he said. "I beleive there has been a partial compromise. The reason I say his is they (the city) have allowed soft forn to remain."

Alexander, who was quoted in an inaniew with the Joplin Globe as being in easy going fellow," describes himself as person who must say what he believes traight out and to the point.

Merander said that he and CDL are expriencing what he calls a "conflict of inenst in their work with administrators ad the law in the area.

We are expieriencing a conflict of inrest, he said. "We find it difficult that a prosecutor should defend a pimp in a passage parlor who was found guilty of laring a house of prostitution. One of the two detectives who went in to get sidence in the case had sex as a patron

ad caught a venereal disease. Deryl Edwards, the city prosecutor, a shown a photograph that he decided hard porn. We then told him that the peture had been taken from a so-called aft pom" magazine available in Joplin." According to Alexander, CDL has encontered some censorship of its organizaim in local media.

We were consored by the Joplin Globe then we advertised," he said. "they said unpleasent to read about the ad, mentioned child molestation. Yet paper has printed ads for massage parlors and X-rated films."

la addition, said Alexander, his group forced to pay for all advertisments before the ads were placed.

James R. Lane, the Joplin Globe's salesmarketing director, addressed Alexander's remarks by quoting the paper's advertising policy concerning advertising and censorship.

"All new customers who come to our paper wishing commercial advertising must pay in advance," he said. "All political advertising is also on a cash in advance basis. I was involved in one instance where an ad that Mr. Alexander had prepared was censored. I would not except the ad because we are a family newspaper and the copy (text) of that ad was not suitable for our paper."

Although progress in CDL's campaign is evident after the City Council passed the anti-pornography ordinance on June 3, Alexander claims pornography still exists and operates on virtually every level.

"We still have X-rated videos being sold from out of the city limits, we still have an adult bookstore, and you can go to convenience stores and purchase pornographic magazines.

"The argument by the city is that soft porn is being kept away from minors. The truth is that minors are purchasing hardcore porn from the seniors at their high schools. It is ridiculous to say that porn is not getting to minors."

According to Alexander, a high official in the Joplin R-8 school district who wished to remain anonymous has found hardcore pornography in school lockers.

In addition to hard-core pornography, a chemical sex stimulant, commonly known as "Rush" was also found in local schools, according to Alexander.

According to Alexander, patrons of existing pornography outlets in Joplin are from neighboring states, such as Oklahoma and Arkansas, where such material is more difficult to obtain.

"It worries us because we (Joplin) are

so permissive," he said. "They have broken the law, and think nothing of it."

Alexander claims that the greatest danger of pornography is its psychologically addictive quality.

"Pornography is an addiction," he said. "It grows worse and worse until participants are no longer just reading magazines or viewing videos, but have moved on to sadomasochism."

According to Alexander, "porn addicts" become jaded with "soft porn," and invariably move on to some other, "harder" material. Alexander said he belives that pornography directly motivates abusive behavior directed toward women and children, who he says are the victims of pornography.

"A vast majority of kids are molested because of people who lose their grasp of decency after submerging themselves in it (pornography)," he said. "It destroys the family life. The victims are the women and children."

Alexander also notes the effects he belives such behavior has with the transference of communicable diseases, such as venereal diseases and AIDS.

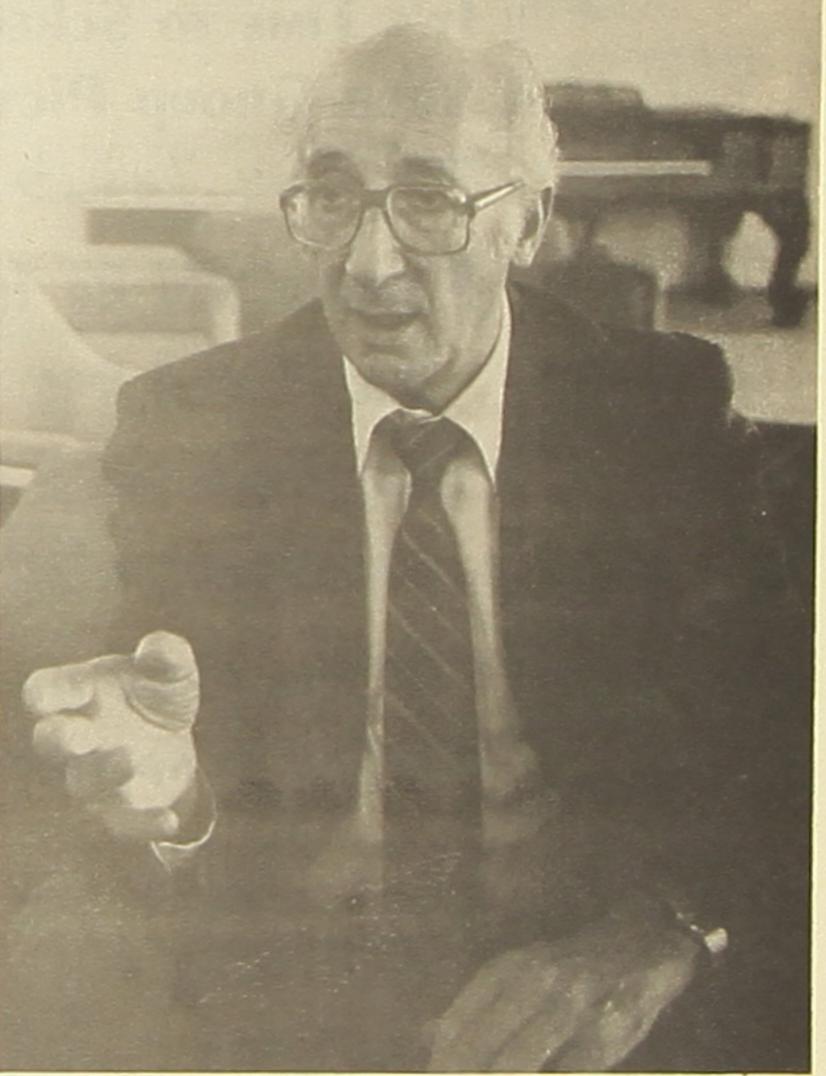
"The tragedy is that innocent people are in danger," he said. "A husband may go home and transmit to his innocent wife a disease he accquired."

Although Alexander's work with CDL deals primarily with administrators and legal aspects, he says the emotional drain is exhausting.

"You get threatening calls," he said. "and you get obscene calls."

Alexander claims that pornographic books, magazines, and videos have already begun to leak back into the area.

"We wish the law would be strong enough that we wouldn't have to keep fighting."



Ben Alexander

Stories by Simon P. McCaffery Photos by Martin C. Oetting

Upcoming Events



Chess Club

Noon, Tuesday Reynolds Hall, Rm. 311

International Club

2 p.m.- 4 p.m. Wed. 3rd Floor BSC

Koinonia

7 p.m. Tuesday College Heights Christian Church

English Club

noon- 1 p.m. today BSC Room 311

Campus Crusade for Christ

1 p.m. - 2 p.m. Wednesday BSC Room 306



Deadlines

May 1986 graduates filing deadline is Nov. 1. Pick up forms in the Placement Office BSC 207

Reminders

Student Senate now has an office Hours are Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-noon and 1 p.m. 3 p.m. BSC Room 300

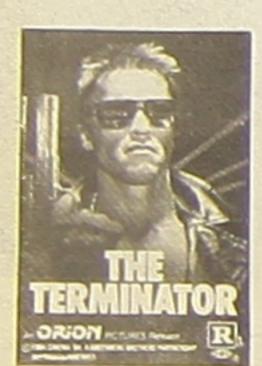
CAB Presents

Kansas City Chiefs trip Sunday Oct. 27 Tickets are available in BSC Room 102

Pumpkin Carving Contest noon Friday in the Lions' Den Applications in BSC, Room 102 must be turned in by today



At Barn Theatre



Oct. 29 and 31

Around campus

Senators feel paved parking lots are a necessity

Student senators have postponed a proposal to the Board of Regents by the Student Senate grievance committee concerning paving of gravel parking lots north of the dormitories.

Students contend that parking lot gravel and unmarked parking spaces contribute to damage to students' cars. Since all students pay the same amount in dormitory fees, students feel that paved parking

Seminar

tocuses

on safe

radiation

Dental radiology and radiation

safety will be the topic for a oneday seminar sponsored by the

department of dental programs at

Missouri Southern. The seminar

will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday at Joplin's Holiday Inn.

Dr. Lawrence R. Bean, chair-

man of the department of oral

medicine and oral diagnosis at the

University of Kentucky, will be the

State University School of Den-

tistry, a member of the American

Academy of Dental Radiology, and

a diplomat on the American Board

of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology: He has had numerous articles on oral radiology published

and has his own private practice.

tists, dental assistants, and

radiologic technologists as well as

dental students. Programs includ-

ed in the seminar are discussions on

radiation safety, biological effects

of radiation, patient's concerns

about radiation, intraoral tech-

niques, and panoramic radiology.

written by a grant from the Facul-

ty Development Fund at Southern.

Nancy Karst, an instructor in the

department of dental programs, is

the coordinator for the seminar.

The radiation seminar is under-

This seminar is designed for den-

Bean is a graduate of the Ohio

leader of the seminar.

should be available to all dormitory students.

Senate members consulted with Dr. Glenn Dolence, vice president for student affairs, about presenting the proposal to the Student Senate. Submission of the proposal has been delayed until Dolence confers with other members of the administration.

According to Dr. Paul Shipman, vice president for business affairs,

paving of the lot has not been dismissed with a definite "no," and there has been no formal request

impact on dormitory students' housing fees-not necessarily now, but maybe down the road," Shipman said. "The state legislature ing lots."

Parking lots and maintainence of

made to pave the lots.

"Paving of the lots could have an will not approve money for park-

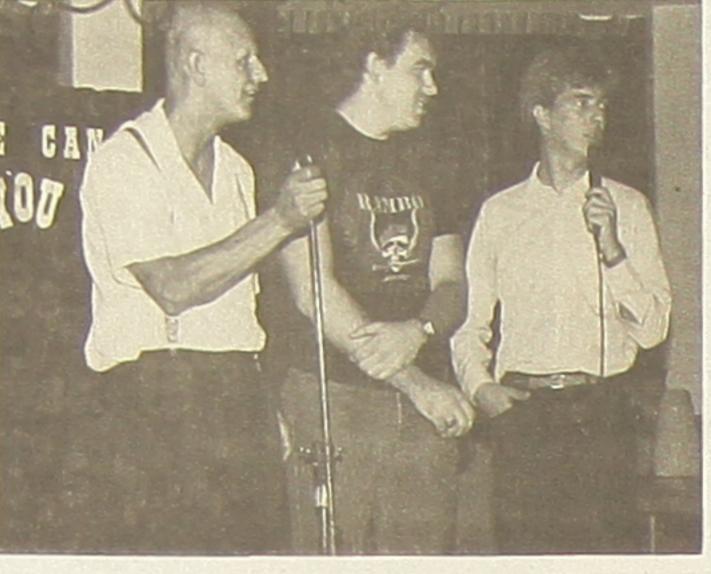
the lots can be expensive. Lots and already been asked to income with auxiliary monies which are generated from sources other than the legislature.

According to Dolence, a bid of \$8,590 was received approximately two years ago for paving of the data concerning a pro-

Dolence also informed the Senate that a committee working on the Duquesne Road project has

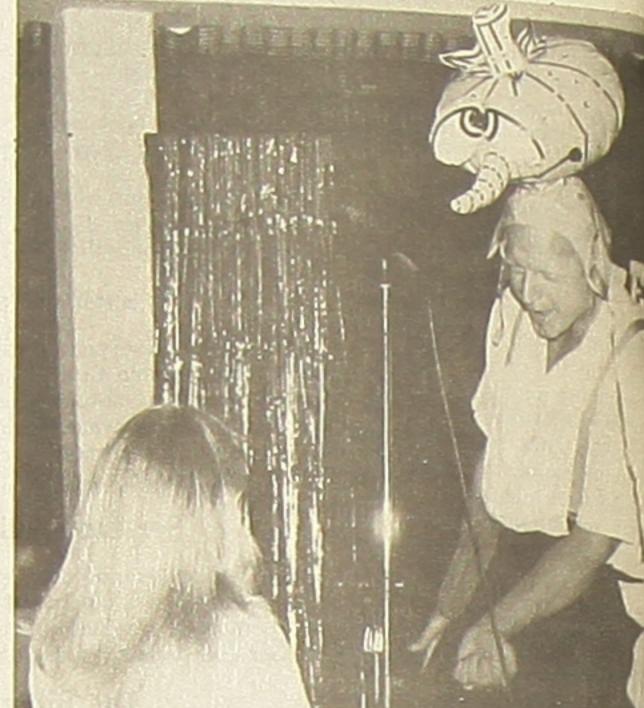
a crosswalk near the stading its plans when the road is w

Students crossing Newma at the Police Academy a amount of traffic passing specified hours will be coun crosswalk at the academy.



Clowning around

Members of the 'We Can Make You Laugh Two Hour Comedy Show' try to make contestants laugh with some of their comedy routines. (Chart photo by Rick Evans)



Phi Beta Lambda stresses leadershi

Phi Beta Lambda, a national business organization, met Oct. 17 to discuss new business.

The organization, according to Dr. Beverly Culwell, assistant professor of business and the faculty sponsor, "is open to any business major or computer science major."

"Our goals are to teach students the value of leadership and how to work effectively with others," said Culwell. "We teach students to be leaders, and also train them to be the future business leaders."

The organization is currently holding fund raisers in order to raise money to attend the annual regional meeting in St. Louis. The ceremonies. National Fall Leadership Conclude many workshops, speakers, and dances to provide entertainment for the participants.

Currently, the club is selling raffle tickets for \$1. The winning person will then receive a \$100 bill. Pocket calenders are also being

sold in order to aid in the fund raising. At the Oct. 10 meeting, installa-

tion of new officers took place. John Tiede, dean of the school of business, performed the induction 30 other types of business func-

The new officers include: Tracy ference will be held Nov. 15-17. Ac- Erwin, president; Steve Bryant, tivities at the conference will in- vice president; Eric Stober, treasurer; Vicki McKinley, secretary; and Joyce Lee, historian Washington, D.C." and reporter. Lynne Rusley, an assistant professor of business, is also a faculty sponsor.

busy one," Culwell said. "We will member or wanting to receive travel to Jefferson City to compete in different programs.

"The students will compete in meetings. contests regarding short-hand skills, typing, data processing, and about

tions," said Culwell.

"We take as many student can, and those that win firs are eligible to go to the na which will be held in I

Phi Beta Lambda hol meetings every second Thur Billingsly Student Center, "Next semester will really be the 314. Students wishing to be information may contact faculty advisor or attend one

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6:30 p.m. Congress: We the People (Lesson 16)

8:00 p.m. Southern's Specials

8:30 p.m. Writing for Fun and Profit

9:00 p.m. The Fitness Connection

9:30 p.m. The Mechanical Universe (Lesson

10:00 p.m. Congress: We the People (Lesson

10:30 p.m. The New Literacy (Lesson 16)

Friday, October 25

6:00 p.m. Russian Language and People

(Lesson 15)

6:30 p.m. Fairy Tales from Around the World

7:00 p.m. Health to You 7:30 p.m. Inside Sports

8:00 p.m. Southern Today

8:30 p.m. On the Move

9:00 p.m. Kontakte (Lessons 15,16)

10:00 p.m. Russian Language and People

10:30 p.m. After Hours

Saturday, October 26

6:00 p.m. Russian Language and People (Lesson 16)

6:30 p.m. The Old-Time Movie ("Secret Agent")

8:00 p.m. Faces of Culture 9:00 p.m. Spanish Movie ("Nazarin")

Sunday, October 27

5:30 p.m. The First Three Years

6:00 p.m. Zarabanda (Lesson 17)

6:00 p.m. The Movie Classic ("As You Like It") 8:05 p.m. Faces of Culture (Lesson 16)

9:00 p.m. The Write Course (Lessons 15,16) 10:00 p.m. American Government Survey

(Lessons 15,16) Monday, October 28

6:30 p.m. The Write Course (Lesson 17) 7:00 p.m. American Government Survey

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Communication (Lesson 9) 8:00 p.m. The Same Inside 8:30 p.m. Getting to Know Your Joplin C

Government 9:00 p.m. Eagles Over Oklahoma: British Fle

in Miami 9:30 p.m. The Summer Lab Band

Concert

10:00 p.m. Movie: "As You Like It"

Tuesday, October 29

6:00 p.m. Kontakte (Lesson 17) 6:30 p.m. Congress: We the People (Lesson)

7:00 p.m. Faces of Culture (Lesson 17) 8:00 p.m. Southern Perspective

9:00 p.m. Inside Television

(Ron Richard)

9:30 p.m. The Mechanical Universe (Lesson 17)

10:00 p.m. Congress: We the People (Lesso)

10:30 p.m. The New Literacy (Lesson 17) 11:00 p.m. Volleyball: Southern vs. Tulsa University and Southern vs. Drug College

Wednesday, October 30

6:00 p.m. Zarabande (Lesson 18)

6:30 p.m. The Write Course (Lesson 18) 7:00 p.m. American Government Survey

(Lesson 18) 7:30 p.m. College Isn't Just for Kids Anymore

8:00 p.m. Newsmakers

8:30 p.m. The MSTV Magazine Show 9:00 p.m. The Criminal Justice System and You

10:00 p.m. Russian Language and People (Lesson 17)

10:30 p.m. Introduction to Data Processing

(Lesson 9)



Leaves for Texas The MCI truck, bound for Laredo, Texas, left Missouri Southern Monday morning full of goods and supplies for the earthquake victims in Mexico City. (Chart photo by Martin Oetting)

Effort

Continued from page 1-

Though the clothing was coming in, the group was still trying to find a way to ship the goods to Mexico City. Thanks to MCI (Monkem Company, Incorporated-Joplin) a truck was supplied to transport the goods to Laredo,

"Paco and I went out to MCI to talk to Sammy Quillen, a secretary there," Wilson said. "We told them why we were there and what we wanted. We said we were working together to collect clothing for Mexico City, and wanted to know if MCI had a truck to take there."

Wilson said Quillen told them that she had read about the project, and was interested in it. After talking to the president of MCI, she surprised Wilson with the reply.

"She told us they would do it totally free of charge," Wilson said. "They sent us the largest size trailer, and agreed to drive the truck to Texas, and pay for the

Wilson said everyone involved in the project was "very grateful" to MCI for donating the truck.

The project also turned out to be a learning experience for those involved.

"We learned a lot about trucking and shipping," Wilson said. "We also learned a lot about ourselves. We weren't really an organization, but rather individuals doing what they can to help. There was cooperation in spite of the differences between those of us in the international club. Although it was a little unorganized, it was completed."

Now that the Mexican Relief project is completed, Wilson said she wouldn't mind a similar project to help those in need in other parts of the world, though she said she'd "have to drop out of school" to do it all again, reflecting how much time it took to complete the project.

"Sunday, when we were loading the last few boxes on the truck, Dr. Allen Merriam

said 'now that we have this done, next we should send relief to the Afghan refugees in Pakistan-there's three million people there," Wilson said. "I'm not sure if he was serious or not."

The goods, which arrived in Laredo sometime yesterday, will be transferred from the MCI truck to a rental truck from Mexico. From there, Gomez said he hopes he can get across the border and to the city where he can distribute the goods to those in need. Gomez left several hours earlier than the truck in order to get a rental vehicle and hopefully get the necessary permits to transport the goods over the Mexican/American border.

"I feel very good about it right now," he said Monday just before leaving. "It will all pay off when I hand clothes to a child on the streets. I want to thank everyone who helped out, and I'll be sure to let everyone know how it went when I get back."

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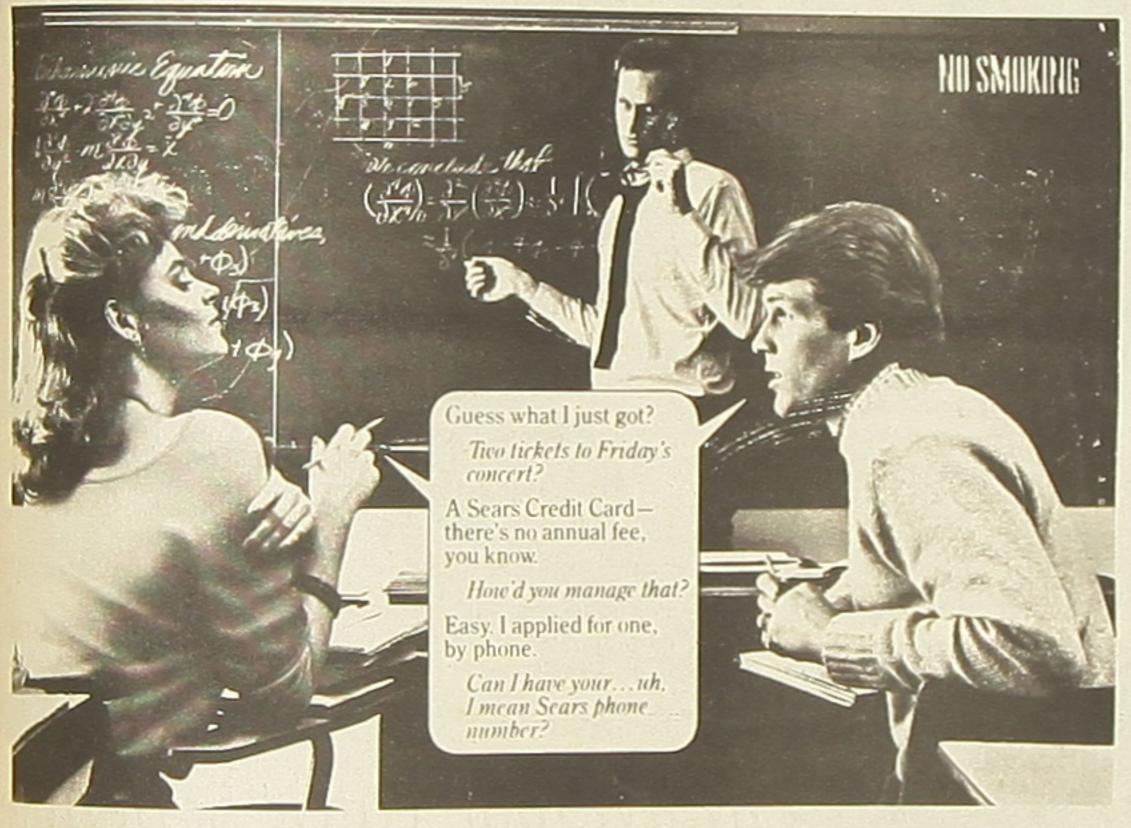
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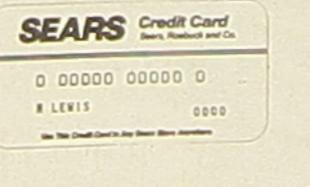
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Rowdy fans causing problems in stadiums

Carolina University, a newcomer to gridiron prominance among the hotlycompetitive universities of North Carolina, was whipping favored North Carolina State 33-14 Sept. 7 when havoc civil behavior in the stands. broke loose.

About 7,500 rowdy fans stormed a restraining fence and spilled out onto the field. Fights erupted. About 20 people evidence of "bad behavior." were hospitalized.

breaks of stadium violence this fall, when more restrictive drinking rules were supposed to help keep misbehavior in the stands to a minimum.

At the University of Missouri-Columbia, where four fans were arrested for rowdyism at the Tigers' home opener, disturbances "all were related to alcohol," says Jack Waitring of the UMC police.

Many of the UNC-Raleigh fans were intoxicated by both alcohol and the 80-degree heat, adds Larry Liles of the Raleigh police.

Over the last school year, a number of schools have adopted other new football stadium rules because liability insurance for large crowds is getting more bore fans. expensive.

spired to adopt more restrictions when a student successfully won damages from Notre Dame last year after he drunkenly fell from a Notre Dame grandstand and hurt himself.

body passing-in which a student is passed over the heads of fans down toward the field-a criminal offense.

Campus police say they'll charge people who indulge in body passing with fourth-degree sexual assault.

West Virginia University police, who

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Raleigh, N.C. (CPS)-Visiting East last year had to stop a home game with Penn State because so many fans were fighting and throwing paper cups onto the field, signed a "contract" with the student government in September to insure

> Under the contract, the university will move student seating to a less desirable part of Mountaineer Field if police find

Student governments at Florida and It was, in fact, one of two major out- Miami worked together to try to tame student misbehavior during sports meetings between the two bitter rivals.

But the rivalries exist, and often overshadow rules when the games begin.

"The rivalry between North Carolina State and East Carolina has increased over the years," Liles explains.

With not a little admiration, Liles adds "they (East Carolina) have been really building their program" until it now rivals the state's other athletic powers, Duke, UNC-Chapel Hill, North Carolina State, and Wake Forest.

Other factors also encourage fan rodyism, observers say...

Blowouts, for one, can frustrate and

"There seems to be a weakening of at-Stadium managers, moreover, were in- tention to the game" when the score gets lopsided, observes Carl Willis, a clinical psychologist who is a consultant to the UMC police.

"When the magic margin of eight points is exceeded" the probability of fan Wisconsin, for example, recently made rowdyism increases, Willis says.

And while restricting alcohol at the games-in years past Missouri used to arrest an average of 20-25 fans a gamehas helped, students can be provoked by elements as subtle as the colors in the stadium.

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Tutor program expands

Over 100 hours of tutoring offered per week

"It's just growing by leaps and bounds," said Eillen Godsey of the tutoring program at Missouri Southern. "We're offering over 100 hours of tutoring per week."

Godsey, coordinator of the program, feels it has expanded nicely since its beginning in the fall of 1984.

"We had four times as many students use it in the spring as in the fall." Godsey said concerning last year's growth. "We've had more people use the math tutoring in September than we did the entire semester last spring."

According to Godsey, the number of tutors in the program is also increasing. Six tutors worked last fall in the program, compated to 14 in the spring. Eight of the 14 tutors were students.

This semester we have 12 student tutors, five professional math tutors, and one professional writing tutor," she said.

To become tutors, students must have two faculty references and be approved by the head of the department they are tutoring in. Godsey is responsible for screening potential tutors and checking out their references. After her approval the training begins.

They undergo a seven hour training session at the beginning of the semester," said Godsey. "We also have periodic informal training sessions with them throughout the semester."

Godsey is assisted by writing specialist Jim Brown, who helps out with the training and supervises the writing tutors.

During training sessions various problems which the tutors may encounter are discussed. Such topics as how to deal with

different kinds of students, how to work with students on study skills, tutoring strategies, and language of encouragement are brought up.

"I think it adds a certain quality to the tutoring program as a whole," she continued.

While some may feel the tutoring program is only for those students who are having problems in all their classes, Godsey pointed out that this is not always the case. According to her, many students who use the program are good students who are weak in one area and having problems with that subject.

"I feel like it is that extra dimension for students who are running into problems," she said. "All levels of students can use the tutoring program and we hope that they will."

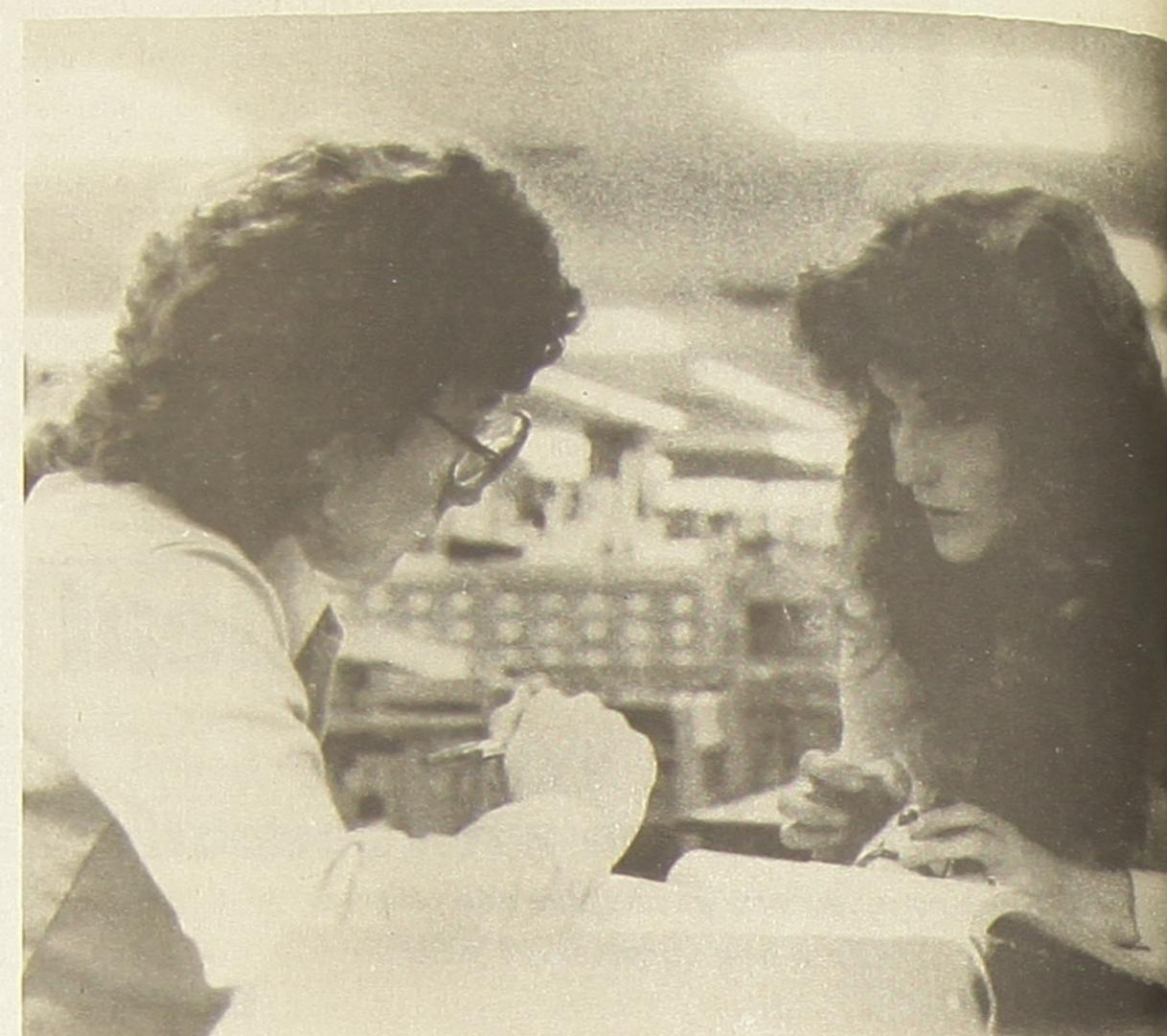
Godsey did point out, however, that any student desiring to use the program must schedule a time with her at the Learning Center, located on the third floor of Spiva Library.

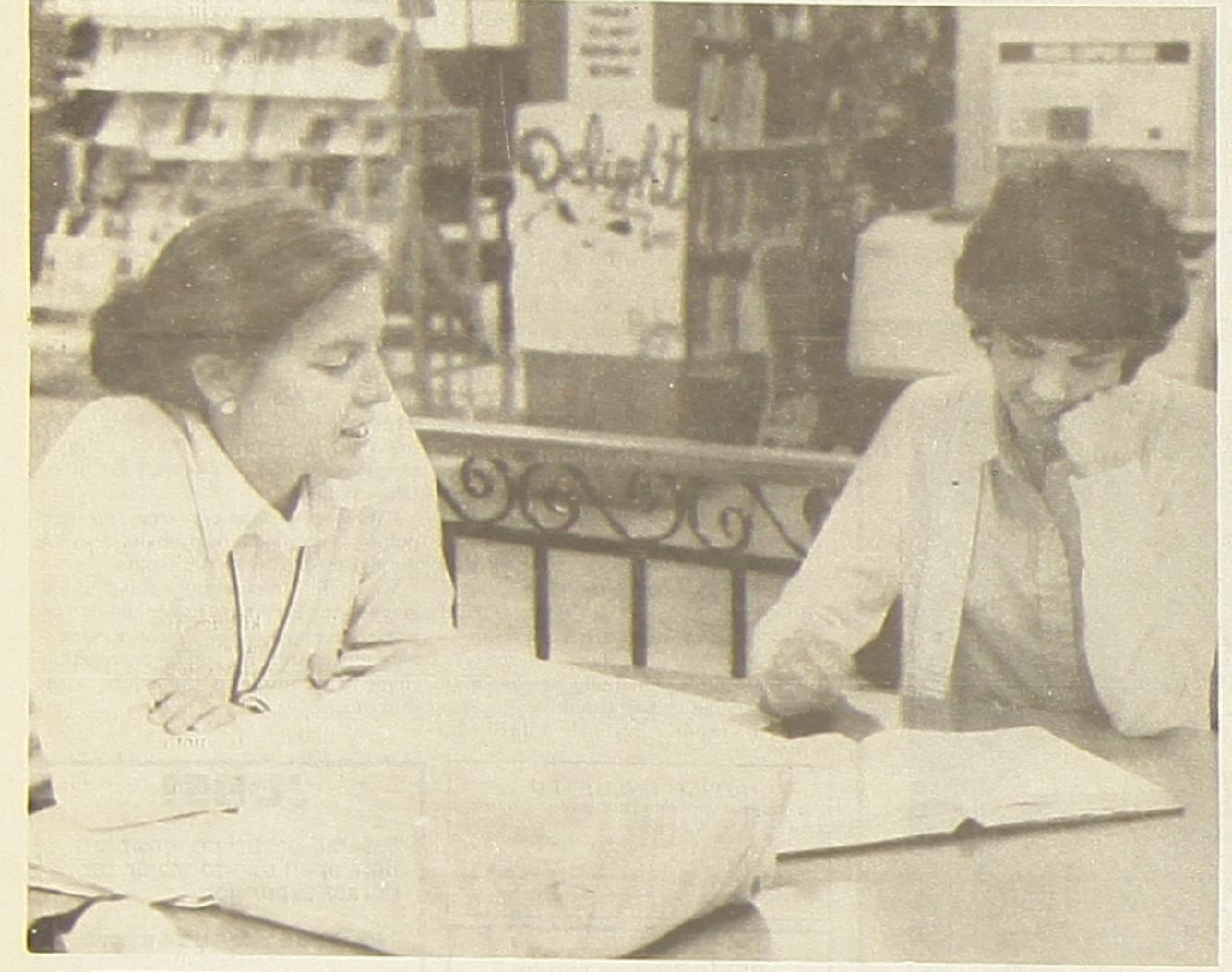
According to Godsey, feedback about the tutoring program is primarily positive.

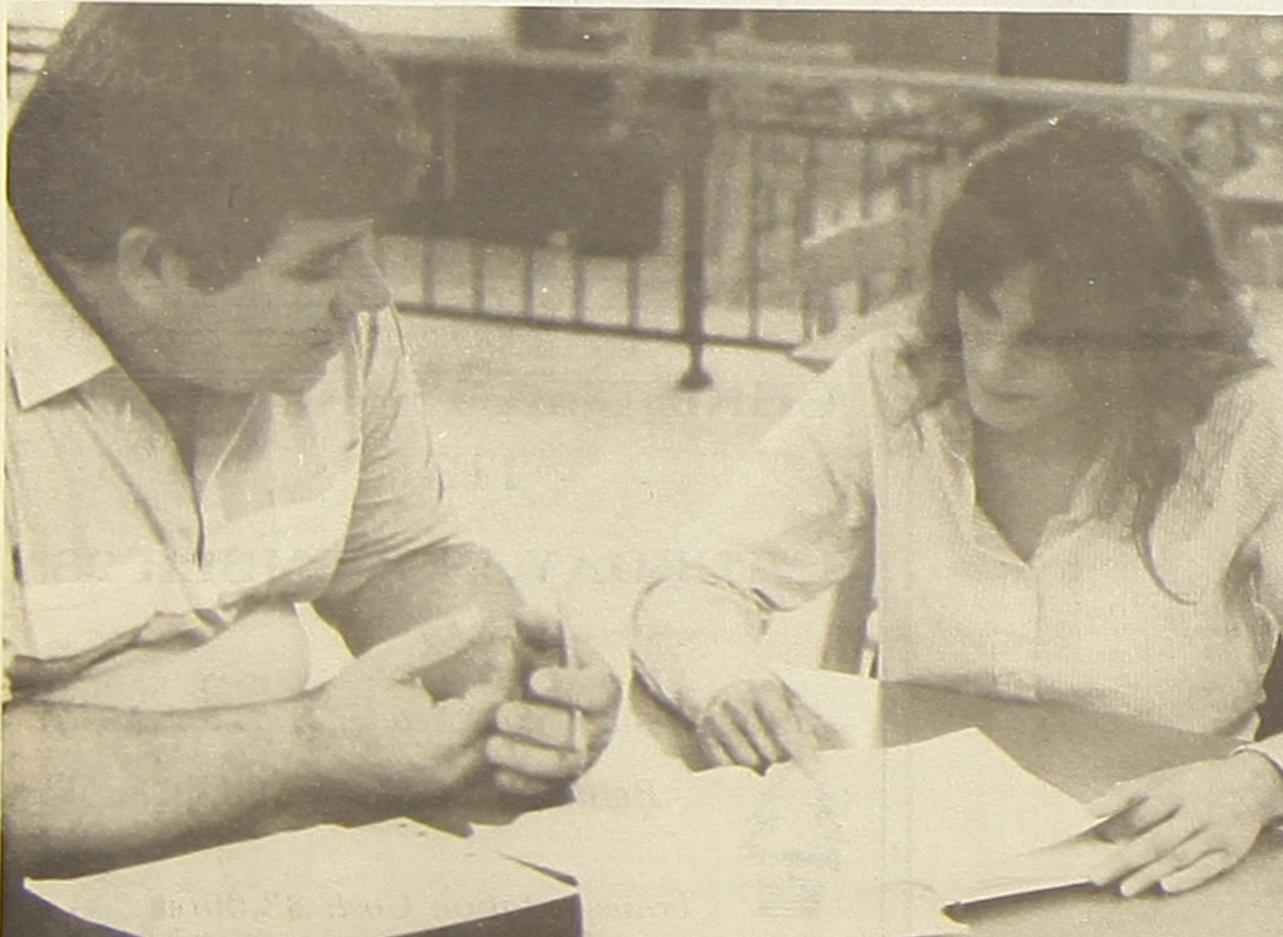
"People feel very strongly that it helps them," she said. "The only ones that are discouraged are the ones that come thinking the tutors will do their homework for them."

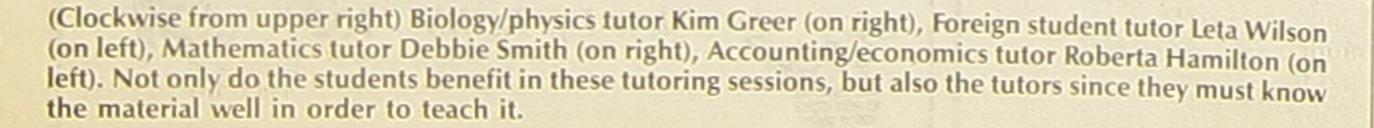
Not only do the students benefit from the program, but the tutors do as well.

"Most tutors find in the long run that they actually learn more than the tutees learn because they have to know it well to teach it," said Godsey.











Individual Tutor Schedule

Cheryl Ingram (Physics) Mon.:1:00—2:00 p.m. Mon.:3:00—5:00 p.m. Thurs.:11:00—1:00 p.m.

Bobbie Bohm (Math) M-W-F:9:00—10:00 a.m. M-W-F:1:00—2:00 p.m.

Debbie Smith (Math) M-F:2:00—3:00 p.m. Wed:1:00—3:00 p.m. Thurs::8:00—9:00 a.m.

Leta Wilson (Foreign Student Tutor)

Gary Roades (Athletic Program) M-W:8:00— 9:00 a.m. M-W:1:00—2:30 p.m. T-TH:9:30—11:00 a.m. T-TH:1:00—2:30 p.m.

Darla Little (Writing) M-W-F:12:00-2:00 p.m.

Phyllis Williams (Writing) T-TH:11:00-2:00 p.m. Chuck Good (Accounting) Tues.: 9:30—10:30 a.m. Wed.:5:30—8:30 p.m.

Roberta Hamilton (Acctg/Economic Wed.:1:00—2:00 p.m. Wed.:4:00—6:00 p.m. Fri.:1:00—2:00 p.m.

Kim Greer (Biology/Physics) Tues.:1:00—2:00 p.m. Wed.:11:00—12:00 p.m. Thurs.:9:00—10:00 a.m. Fri.:11:00—1:00

Mike Mosher (Chemistry) Mon.:5:00—7:00 p.m. Tues.:11:00—1:00 p.m. Wed.:5:30—6:30 p.m.

Joelle Burns (Finite Math) Mon.:1:00—3:00 p.m. Mon.:4:30—5:30 p.m. Wed.:1:00—2:00 p.m. Wed.:4:30—5:30 p.m.

Story by JoAnn Hollis Photos by Laura Cates

Art Center

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Spiva Art Center is looking for student volunteers to assist in a

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Im Society presents fen Days That Shook the World' 7:30 p.m. Nov. 5 Connor Ballroom

David Low Master class cello 1 p.m. tomorrow Phinney Hall

Crimes of the Heart' 8 p.m. Nov. 6-9 Taylor Auditorium



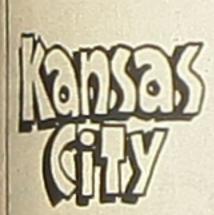
John Waite and Cheap Trick Nov. 20 Memorial Hall

1 Ought to be in Pictures' Nov. 13-17 Little Theatre



Duo Piano Recital Vivian Leon and Elizabeth Kemm 8 p.m. today Clara Thompson Hall Drury College

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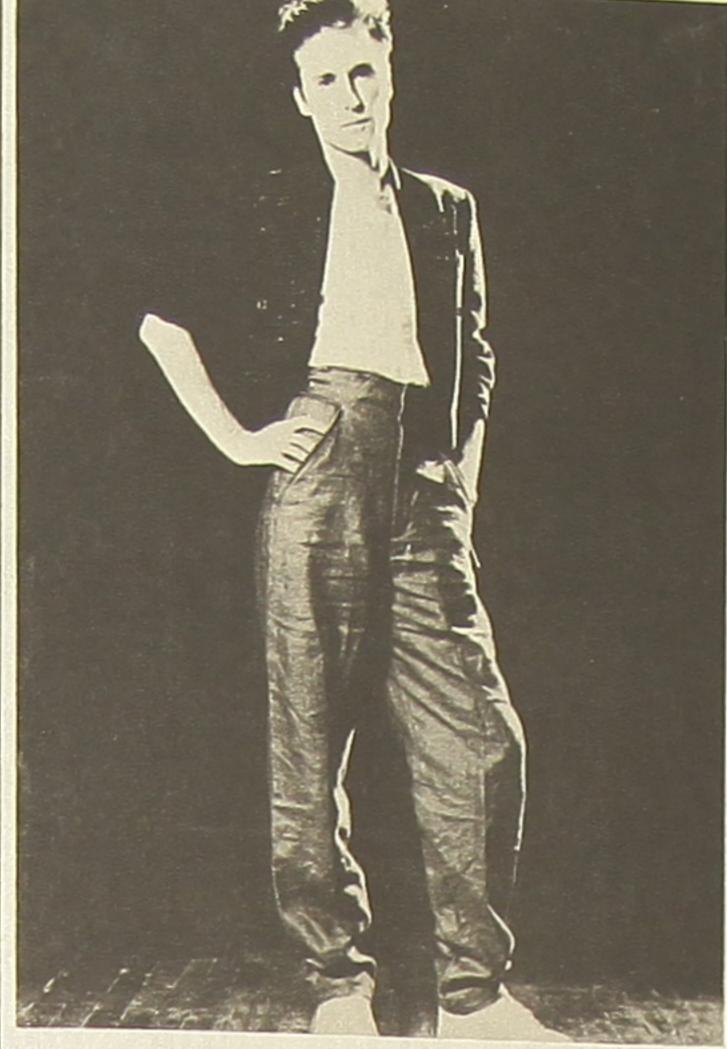
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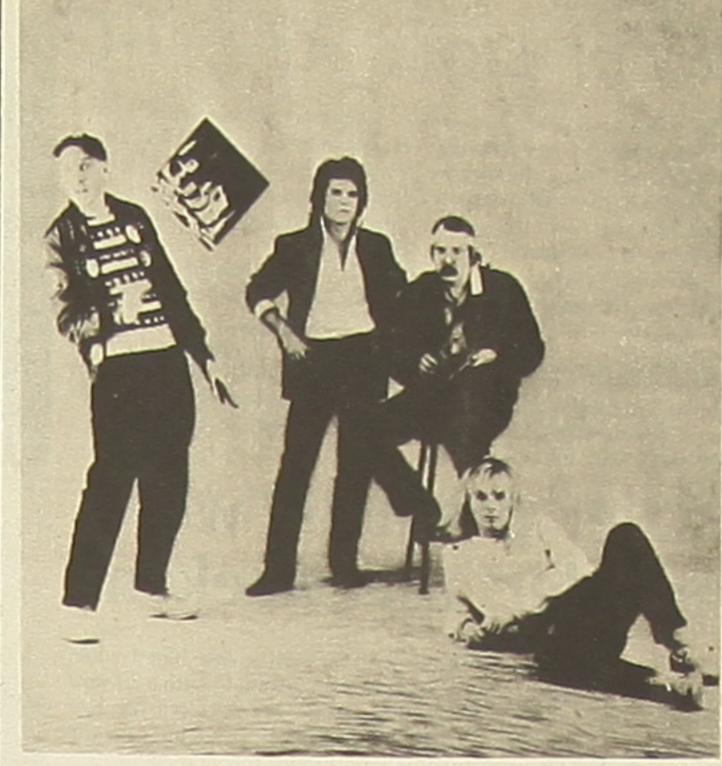


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John Waite (left) and 'Cheap Trick' will be in concert Wednesday, Nov. 20 at Joplin's Memorial Hall. Tickets for the concert, In which is sponsored by the Campus Ac- Concert tivities Board, are available to Southern students for \$10 in Room 300 of the Billingsly Student Center. Both groups recently released albums.

Debate team wins awards

Squad goes to St. Peter

Debaters took 10 trophies out of 14 at a tournament last weekend at Gustavus Adolphus in St. Peter, Minn., according to Richard Finton.

Individual debaters took top speaker honors in both champ and junior debate competition. In junior debate first speaker trophy went to freshman Steve Russel. Second speaker was freshman Tamera Wolf, and third speaker was freshman Kevin Doss.

Todd Graham, junior, won first speaker honors in champ debate for the second week in a row, and David Watkins, junior, took second speaker honors.

In semifinal action, Wolf and Brian Demery, freshman, defeated McCallister College in St. Paul with three wins and no losses.

"Missouri Southern did not have to participate in the finals because they would have been going up against themselves," said Finton.

John Waite, 'Cheap Trick' to perform CAB sponsoring November 20 concert in Joplin's Memorial Hall

John Waite and Cheap Trick will perform at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 20 at Joplin's Memorial Hall for this year's fall concert sponsored by the Campus Activities Board at Missouri Southern.

on sale today for Southern students in Room 300 of the Billingsly Student Center for \$10. Tickets will go on sale to the public Saturday for rock sound. \$12.50.

Memorial Hall, Ernie Williamson down the drum chair. Jon Brant, in Joplin and Pittsburg, and bassist, is the only non-original Pioneer Music in Neosho.

Chicago-based group Cheap Trick, best known for hit singles "I Want

You to Want Me" and "Dream

Members of the band include baseball-capped Rick Nielson, guitarist and songwriter for the group. Nielson is famous for his Reserved tickets for the show go endless array of customized guitars · and his clowning antics on stage, as well as the leading influence on Cheap Trick's distinctive hard-pop

Robin Zander is the lead vocalist, Other ticket outlets include and bespectled Bun E. Carlos holds member of the band. He joined in Opening the show will be the 1982 during the group's One on One sessions.

Since its debut in 1977, Cheap Trick has put out 10 best selling albums, including Live at Budokan and Dream Police, and has played in 17 different countries. During this time the group has collected over 40 Gold and Platinum records from around the world.

Cheap Trick is currently promoting its first album in two years, titled Standing on the Edge, which has produced the hit single "Tonight it's You."

Closing out the performance at Memorial Hall will be John Waite, ex-lead singer for the Baby's, known for late 1970's and early 1980's hits such as "Everytime I

Think of You."

Waite is noted for his mid-tempo rock sound and his ear-catching love songs. He debuted as a solo performer last year with his top 10 album, No Brakes that featured "Missing You," his No. 1 smash of last summer.

"Waite's latest solo set continues in the pop-minded direction of its gold predeccesor," said an article in the Aug. 10 issue of Billboard Magazine.

His current album is Mask of Smiles and contains his newest hits, "Every Step of the Way" and "Welcome to Paradise," which debuted last week in the top 100.

> of brutal killings, is a joy to watch. He will undoubtably pop up again.

In Review: DeLaurentis' 'Silver Bullet' receiving poor reviews

By Simon P. McCaffery Associate Editor

Silver Bullet, Columbia 1985

Silver Bullet, Dino DeLaurentis' latest excursion into suspense and horror, has been garnering poor reviews since it opened. But most of the poor reviews are undeserved.

The film, based pretty faithfulday was the most ardent in its attack, calling the film just another worn-out, cliched lycanthrope tale

I believe the reviewer referred to make-up man Carlo Rambaldi's monster as resembling an enraged Ewok. After viewing the film, I would hate to run into that Ewok.

Silver Bullet is the story of the people of a small New England town called Tarkers Mills who have a serious problem. The Beast, a werewolf, has arrived and made its home there, and threatens the lives of everyone in Tarkers Mills, as well as the friendliness and cohesiveness of the community.

Most elements in the film are predictable, but in a pleasant way. ly to Stephen King's novellette Cy- Viewers are not cheated out of any cle of the Werewolf, took several suspense, which is the film's punches from reviewers. USA To- strongest point (and should be). For a "cliched" werewolf film, it did a good job of keeping me on the edge of my seat.

> The film best benefits from De Laurentes's ever-increasing ability as a film media storyteller. He has made some bad films, but he has

come a long way since his remake the film is the vocal narration that of King Kong. He sharpens his skills with every film.

are just plain frightening. And there are a few scenes which are done and labeled another "Slasher." And at times, I thought I could see a little Hitchcock here and there.

Another plus is the screenplay, which was penned by King himself. diluted action. The dialouge is crisp and solid, and the scenes, for the most part, move well and are effective. The only cop-out that hurts

opens and sums the film. The narration, by one of the characters as Director Daniel Attias does a fine an adult looking back and recounjob with this film. There are some ting the story, is clumsy and weak. top-drawer shots and scenes that It is on a different wavelength with really build the suspense. Others the film's intended tempo and

The music score is also contempcliche, but they are few. It's a gory tible, and totally out of place. A film, and barely escapes being over- rock song at the end of a horror Overall, Silver Bullet is an amstory? The modern classic, An American Werewolf in London, made it work, but was a totally different film than Silver Bullet.

De Laurentes's cast is a good one. No clumsy adaption problems or Bad casting has killed some of his past films (most notably Firestarter). Corey Haim, who plays the crippled boy who

Megan Follows, who plays the role of a sibling angered by the attention paid to Haim because of his disability, is another strong cast member. And Everett McGill, who plays the part of the town minister caught in the evil goings-on, is

bitious film that stands well on its own, and certainly does not deserve many of the criticisms lobbed its way. There have been some superior werewolf tales, granted, but far more inferior ones. It is explicitly violent at times, but then so was its parent, Cycle of the Werewolf. Overall, horror and discovers the truth behind the series suspense fans will enjoy it. A 71/2.

Sculpts in clay

Janice Gibson, a student in Jon Fowler's beginning sculpture class, works on a figure-in-clay project. For the project, a subject posed while the class molded a model in clay. Students made carvings from plaster in a previous project this semester. (Chart photo by Rick Evans)

Cellist to demonstrate techniques David Low will give cello recital at 1 p.m. tomorrow

Phinney Hall.

of the music department, Low will Program. work with students and demonstrate cello techniques.

Joplin, where he is scheduled to Television. give a performance at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow.

campus tomorrow to give a Master professor of cello at the University Class Cello recital at 1 p.m. in of Nebraska-Omaha. He is the first cellist to be chosen as a solist on the According to Pete Havely, head Mid-America Arts Alliance Touring

He has also recorded on two record labels, as well as taping for Low is here in cooperation with the Iowa Public Broadcasting Net-St. Phillip's Episcopal Church in work and Nebraska Educational

received II grants from private Low is the principal cellist of the foundations and arts organizations

David Low, a cellist, will be on Omaha Symphony Orchestra and to commission several works for cello. He has recorded three of these, including American Perspective I by Jason Berkely, and Sonatina and Cello Concerto by Ion Polifrone.

> After Low's debut at the Carnegie Recital, New York Times critic Edward Rothstein said, "He is a late-Romantic personality, sincerely passionate, evocatively in-During the past years he has tense, acute, and energetic."

'Crimes of the Heart' to open soon Henley's play to premiere November 6 in Taylor, drama-comedy set five years after Hurricane Camille

Hazlehurst, Miss., five years after looks." Hurricane Camille

production will be 8 p.m. It is Pulitzer Prize winner and Drama directed by Trij Brietzke, part-time Circle Award winner for 1981 ex-

theatre instructor. Crimes of the Heart is the dark-tunes and oddball eccentricities in

Beth Henley's Crimes of the ly humorous story of the reunion of Heart will have its area premiere at three sisters, brought together after the Taylor Performing Arts Center the youngest has shot her "big wig" as the theatre department presents politician husband, because, she this comedy-drama set in says, "I just didn't like his stinking

Curtain time for the Nov. 6-9 setting of a comedy play, this plores a southern family's misfor-

a comic manner.

Southern's theatre department will present the original, uncut stage version of this look at sibling rivalry and family love in the deep south in November. The play is While this may not seem like the rated PG by the department.

Admission is \$3 for adults, \$1 for senior citizens and high school students, and is free for Southern students.



Intramurals Football Results:

Turf Bowl (finals)

Silver Bullets def. Haz Bins, 19-6.

Racquetball

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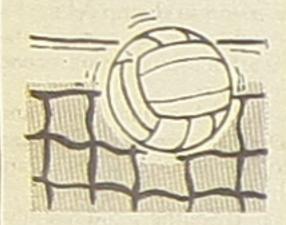


Scoreboard Saturday's Results: CSIC Football

Missouri Southern 24, Kearney State 20 Missouri Western 10, Emporia State 8 Wayne State 18, Washburn Univ. 7 Pittsburg State 54 Fort Hays State 46

Upcoming Games

Fort Hays State at Washburn University; Kearney State at Emporia State; Wayne State at Pittsburg State Missouri Western at Missouri Southern



Statistics Volleyball

(Kills-Blocks-Digs) D. Cox 260-60-186

S. Hodges 303-86-183 J. Rule 77-10-172 Stubblefield 118-13-42 G. Gilmore 38-9-54 Tompkins 255-24-115 Howard 99-19-37 Greer 129-11-175 P. Gilmore 8-2-6



Statistics Lions Football Rushing:

(Att.-Yards-Per Carry Avg.) Mark Perry 111-445-4.0 Dageforde 68-287-4.2 Ray Hicks 45-217-4.8 Chambers 31-91-2.9

Passing:

(Completions-Att.-Yards) Hamilton 75-173-951 7 TDs, 10 interceptions

Receiving:

(Rec.-Yards-Avg.) K. Young 31-569-18.4

D. Lynn 15-175-11.7 Ray Hicks 8-59-7.4 P. Morgan 7-42-6.0 Chambers 5-48-9.6

Def. Tackles:

(Unass.-Ass.-Total)

Steve Forbis 40-77-117 Don Stone 40-62-102 Tr. Ketchum 14-29-43 R. Conner 17-25-42 Z. Wintjen 16-25-41 K. Ziegler 11-29-40 Chris Moten 12-27-39 Mike Toney 14-24-38 Linn Hibbs 13-18-31

1985 Schedule (Home games in all caps)

10/26 MO. WESTERN 1:30 11/2 FT. HAYS ST. 1:30 11/9 Wayne St.

-The sports scene

Soccer Lions lose, 1-0

When Missouri Southern's soccer Lions visit Tarkio College Saturday, Harris-Stowe was the final home they will have a chance to improve game of the season, and the final on their 2-3 District 16 record.

day's 1-0 loss to John Brown Univer- Poertner. sity in Siloam Springs, Ark. "They have helped make this

match that has ended with the final had," said Bodon. score being 1-0.

don't like it," said Head Coach Hal season, while last year the Lions Bodon, "because it's kind of a defense allowed 28. nightmarish score for us."

Southern's win last Saturday over home game for the Lions' two The Lions are 6-7-2 after yester- seniors, Ron Grote and Scott

That was the seventh straight defense one of the best we've ever

Southern's defense has held its "Even when we win now 1-0 we opponents to just 10 goals so far this

Frazier predicts 'white knuckler' this weekend

When the Missouri Southern ly Young struck first blood when football Lions host Missouri Hamilton hit Young with a 72-yard Western this weekend, Head Coach pass. Mark Perry bulled the ball Jim Frazier's main concern is not over just two minutes later for the the opponents, but his own squad. Lions' second touchdown.

Frazier. "My main concern is that touchdown pass. we just play well."

Saturday in Hughes Stadium.

some sort of rivalry," said Frazier. his 204 yards of pass receiving. The "We're certainly a red-letter game old record of 169 was set by Glenn for them."

torious for the first time this year matured as a football team," said on the road, defeating Kearney Frazier. "It may have taken seven State 24-20.

The Lions scored all 24 points in done it. the second half to give them a 4-3 overall record. The win was No. 101 a lot of the 'why's," he said. for the football program since stitution in 1967.

"We're starting over, now.

"We struggled a little bit in the job, as is Todd Graves. first half," said Frazier. "We had "Defensively, Kevin Ziegler against Washburn University, them stretched, but never broke."

in the second half, tying the game didn't have the turnovers and Pittsburg State at 9 a.m., Emporia that happened to Dena Cox. with 9:33 left in the third quarter. foolish penalties, and we got them State at 11 a.m., and Fort Hays at

The combination of quarterback at the end." Ray Hamilton to wide receiver Kel-

"With Western, we know it's go- Hamilton hit Young again late in ing to be a white knuckler," said the fourth quarter with a 35-yard

Kearney scored just 19 seconds Kick-off is set for 1:30 p.m. later to pull within 21-20, but was unsuccessful on a 2-point attempt.

"Every game seems to involve Young set a Southern record with Watson in 1980.

Last week, Southern was vic- "In the second half we may have weeks, but we may have finally

"The unsung hero here is Tim ing forward to Oct. 25. Southern became a four-year in- Drew, who made the move from tight end to fullback," he said. "His round-robin tournament will take "That was No. 1," said Frazier. attitude is good, and he's a joy to work with. He's really doing a great Lions are ready. Southern will in the course of the season.

ball control problems, and we were played well. Last year he came on come back to play Missouri Western quite sluggish offensively. Defen- strong in the second half of the at 2 p.m., Kearney State at 4:30 sively, we held up quite well. We season and we're beginning to see p.m., and Wayne State at 6:30 p.m. that again this year.



Watching

Missouri Southern soccer players watch from the sidelines durin Lions' 1-0 win Saturday over Harris-Stowe. (Chart photo by Mike H

Volleyball team seeks redemption

three out of seven games in the first "Maturity may be the answer to Central States Intercollegiate Conference tournament, its been look- this year as an experiment.

This weekend, the second CSIC next year," said Lipira. place in Hays, Kan., and the Lady begin play at noon tomorrow

Southern stormed onto the field ... The bottom line is that we day when the Lady Lions take on 1:30 p.m.

weekend and redeem ourselves,"

Ever since the Missouri Southern said Head Coach Pat Lipira. "We Lady Lions volleyball team lost definitely have a stronger team. All CSIC matches were con-

densed into two weekends of play "I don't think we'll do it like this

The idea was to cut down on the

amount of traveling that teams do The disadvantage of this is that

if a key player, or key players are injured during that weekend, a team can suffer a tremendous setback. If a player misses one of those Action continues through Satur- weekends, that player misses half of the conference season. Just exactly

Cox went down with an ankle injury in the second match of the "We're going up there this first weekend of conference play.

As a result, the Lady Lio tied for fifth place in the CSIC a 3-4 record. But, they sport pressive 10-3 record in Dist play, and a 34-12 record on

"The difference is the district record has been the of an entire season of play Lipira. "The conference re nothing more than one week play without our leading him our second leading blocker

"Our major goal this week to beat the teams we lost to said, "because we felt like we give them 100 per cent." The Lady Lions will con

their home schedule on To when they host the Univer-Tulsa and Drury College three-team tournament.

The way I see it

Oh, the stories I'll be able to tell

By Shaun LePage Sports Editor



[Note: Thousands of sportswriters across the country have already used several million gallons of ink writing about this year's World Series, so who am I to be different. Besides, this is history, and I want to write about it, too.]

When I was much younger, I used to climb up on my grandpa's lap and listen to stories about Mickey Mantle, Ted Williams, and when the 1967 Cardinals won the World Series.

Because my attention span was as long then as it is now, I would eventually get bored and ask if I could leave. Even though the stories that my grandpa so vividly remembered were a part of history, I did not appreciate them as much as he did. I had not been there.

However, I can appreciate the history that is being made as I write this. Never before in history have the Kansas City Royals played the St. Louis Cardinals in the World Series, and never before have Missouri baseball fans had so much to squabble about.

One of the things that I will probably always remember about this World Series when it is all over, is the attitudes I have noticed among Missouri baseball fans. I urge you to be aware of these attitudes and take the necessary precautions.

First, there is the die-hard Cardinals fan. Please approach this person with extreme caution.

The Cardinals fan is often more easily identifiable. For example, I saw a short, stocky guy walking around campus Tuesday with more than one St. Louis Cardinals button pinned to the lapel of his jacket. He had a slobbery, satisfied look on his face because the Cardinals were up by two games that day.

The Cardinals fan will seek out and taunt the Royals fan.

The Royals fan is much more dignified and sober than the Cardinals fan, but not as loyal.

The Royals have never given their fans a championship, but hope remains and the Royals fan patiently awaits his chance totaunt the Cardinals fan.

In Game 2 of the Series, which was played in Kansas City, the Royals fans were beginning to show some enthusiasm until Manager Dick Howser gave the game away in the ninth inning. That's right, Howser gave it away.

Charlie Liebrandt, who pitched in Game 2, walked out on the mound in the ninth inning with a 2-0 lead. Things looked good.

But, Liebrandt had already thrown 108 pitches before that inning, and he has a history of getting too tired around 120 pitches.

By the middle of the ninth inning, Liebrandt was tired. It was obvious to everyone but Howser.

Meanwhile, the Royals' ace reliever Dan Quisenberry sat in the bullpen and watched Liebrandt throw batting practice to the Cardinals.

After the game, Willie Wilson, centerfielder for the Royals, said, "Anybody who knows anything about baseball should have known what to do in that situation.

messed up. Perhaps that is the kind of

I agree with Willie. Howser

story I will tell my grandson in 40 years (If I ever get married-God help mel). I can see it now. He'll climb up on my lap and ask me some of the same dumb questions I used to

"What kind of sports did you play when you were a kid. grandpa?'

ask my grandpa.

I'll probably answer with something real grandpa-ish like, "Well, Johnny, we didn't have much time for games, because we had to walk 15 miles to school in six feet of snow with no shoes on, but when we did find time we played games like football and basketball."

"What's football, grandpa?" "Football was somewhat like a gang fight. It was a popular sport, until all the girls started demanding to play. After that everyone kinda lost interest in

"Girls sure are pushy, aren't they, grandpa?" "You said it, kid."

"Did the girls demand to play basketball, too?"

"They sure did, but basketball is still around because the girls play the girls, and they let the boys play the boys."

"Did you play baseball, grandpa?" "We sure did."

"Did you ever play against George Brett?"

"Not that I can remember, Johnny, but I remember watching him play. Why, I remember the World Series of '85...."

At this point, I would start to ramble on and on about the Series, and maybe even try to impress him by telling him that I was sports editor of our college newspaper that year. He'll ask if he can go play with his computer or something, and I'll let him go.

I will think to myself, "He doesn't appreciate the stories that I still so vividly remember. After all, he wasn't there"

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